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A man in earnest finds means, or, if he cannot find, creates them.
—William Ellery Channing.

A western paper remarks that the Democratic party has discarded the octopus and taken an octogenarian.

Senator Frye has a West Point vacancy to fill this year, and an examination of candidates will be held in Lewiston, Sept. 1st.

In the hundred years of its existence the English Bible society has printed 180,000,000 Bibles in 370 languages. The present output is 5,000,000 copies a year.

The South Dakota Democrats in their state convention last week renewed allegiance to William J. Bryan. Was that relevant in view of the action of the St. Louis convention?

Herbert Johnson, the famous tenor of Boston, long connected with the Ruggles street church quartet and later with the Johnson quartet, died suddenly last Thursday of rheumatism of the heart.

Joseph W. Folk, the St. Louis circuit attorney who routed the Democratic boodlers, has been nominated for governor of Missouri by a new and determined element of the party. Now if there are only folks enough to elect him.

The armored cruiser South Dakota was launched at San Francisco Thursday. The craft cost \$5,000,000, including armament, and has a displacement of 15,000. She will be fitted up as a flagship. The battleship Connecticut, which is under construction at the New York navy yard, will be ready for launching in September.

Kennebec Journal: A reduction of \$20,000 in the bonded debt of Maine in the past year and a half under the able administration of Governor Hill is decidedly disconcerting to the Democrats who, in these days of Republican prosperity, would be glad to dodge national issues by getting behind state issues—if they could only discover any big enough to hide them.

Walter Kittredge, the author of that world-famous song "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," is still living in the hamlet of Reed's Ferry, N. H., where he composes, even at his advanced age. He first wrote the words of the song, then picked the air from the strings of his violin, and played it first on an old melodeon. He has both instruments in his possession, although the song was written forty years ago.

General John T. Richards of New York, assistant inspector general of the National Soldiers' homes, formerly aide of General Sherman, with his home in Gardiner, is said to be a candidate for the governorship of the Soldiers' Home at Togus, with a salary of \$2700 and a fine house. General A. B. Farnham of Bangor, at present adjutant general of Maine, is said to be a candidate for the place.—Portland Press.

Bryan's plan for the reformation of the Democracy was given publicity Friday. Mr. Bryan favors radical changes but advises the election of Judge Parker for President as a good beginning. He declares for state ownership of railroads, government control of telegraphs and abolition of private monopoly and favors the income tax and election of federal judges by the people. On such a platform Mr. Bryan could vote the Populist ticket this fall much more consistently than he could the Wall street ticket headed by Judge Parker.

An electric railroad is to be built up Mount Blanc, on the plans of M. Ballot, an engineer of great ability. The cog-wheel system used on the Jungfrau road will be employed, and the railroad, which will start from a point 3200 feet above the sea level, will terminate only 110 feet below the summit of the mountain. The tourist will be 14,570 feet above the sea level when he steps out of the cars. In making the ascent of 11,710 feet from the starting point the road will traverse nearly 11 miles, to lower the grades as much as possible and obtain the most favorable conditions for construction.

"A good many people have not stopped to think that in order to win the next Presidential election the Democrats will have to get one more vote than the Republicans," says Judge W. B. Alexander, of Chicago. "The total vote of the Electoral College is 476. If it should by any rare chance happen that each party got one-half this total—in other words, if the election resulted in a tie, the Democrats getting 238 and the Republicans the same number, the contest would then be thrown into the House of Representatives. The Republicans in that body, having a large preponderance in the number of states under their control, would proceed, of course, to the election of their candidates. So you will observe that in order to win the Democrats will have to secure 239 votes, or just one more than half the college, while the other side can make out on 238." Judge Alexander referred, of course, to the fact that were the election to be thrown into the House,

under the provisions of the Constitution the voting there would have to be done by states, each state having one vote. Were all the states represented the Republicans would have 29½ as against 15½ Democratic votes.

Gen. Kuropatkin will be 56 next month, and one of the reasons why he is so greatly trusted is because it is said that he has never known fear. Five years ago Kuropatkin was warned that the great powder magazine at St. Petersburg was to be blown up within 24 hours and the magazine at Toulon, too. Toulon was outside his sphere, but Kuropatkin, who received the warning while in bed, rose and went at once to the St. Petersburg magazine stores. Calling together officers and men, he inspected the stores, declared the inspection satisfactory and gave every man three-days' leave as a token of his pleasure. Other guards and sappers were summoned, a rampart was dug around the magazine and before night it was certain that any danger that had existed had been averted. Nothing happened, but the next morning the powder magazine in Toulon was blown up.

LOBSTER PROPAGATION
Seed Lobsters Averaged Six Thousand Fry to a Fish.

Wonderful results from Maine lobsters are now being obtained by the United States government officials in charge of the lobster hatcheries at Gloucester. Last summer while the Grampus was at work along the Maine coast collecting female lobsters, with a view to getting their seed to hatch into fry, 7,000 of this kind were taken and there to grow and become large lobsters and go into the market.

Since then, they have seeded and been taken to the hatcheries at Gloucester where the seed have been scraped off and hatched. From the 7,000 lobsters a yield of 43,000,000 lobster fry has been obtained, an average of over 6,000 fry to a fish. These fry will eventually be brought to the Maine coast, come have already been received and planted in nooks and bays along shore, there to grow and become large lobsters and go into the market.

COMING FROM ELLSWORTH.

Wednesday, Aug. 17, the Senator Hale hose company will go to Rockland to participate in a hose race. At a meeting held Wednesday evening it was decided to charter the Catherine, Capt. Crockett, and run an excursion. The boat will leave Ellsworth about 4 o'clock on the morning of the 17th, and arrive in Rockland about 9, returning Friday morning. It is probable that "Ticonic engine company" will go, although there is nothing definite as yet. One or two bands will accompany the excursionists. Rockland is planning for one of the largest celebrations and firemen's musters it ever held. Large purses are offered for all classes, especially in the hand tub contest. A prize is offered for the best-appearing company with decorated apparatus, and one for the company coming the longest distance. A prize is also offered for a coupling race. It is understood that the two Brewer teams and one from Orono will attend.—Ellsworth American.

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ST. LOUIS AND BEYOND.

Gen. Cilley as Delegate To National Editorial Association Writes of His Trip Across the Continent.

(Eighth Letter.)
In my first letter there were a few errors of minor importance, but the omission of "New England" after the word, people in the forty-first line, and the quotation marks, those the pith of the sentence to be obscure. The tribute of the Virginian was that at the close of the Revolutionary War "The people of New England went through the Mohawk Valley with a rush."

The first settlers in many towns in New York were these emigrants, but rush was westward to Ohio and beyond. The facts I desire to pile, one above another, were the rush of the Puritans to Salem and Boston, 1630-40; the rush of New England people westward through the Mohawk Valley, at the close of the Revolution; the continued rush westward of the Ohio pioneers through Indiana, Illinois and Iowa; and the rush of New England people to California in 1849. All these migrations did much to shape the government of the United States and bring about its development. Back of it all was the great cavalry raised by Oliver Cromwell and named the "Ironsides." In the character and work of this regiment can be read the true character of Cromwell, which the world is just learning to read aright, and which I am admiring with increasing reverence as the ages roll on.

Something of the Cromwell lived in Stonewall Jackson, glowed under a veneering of Kentucky rascality in Lincoln, could be discerned in the almost perfect and patient Washington, and felt in some of the straightforward acts of Roosevelt, and is wonderfully pictured in one of Cromwell's own speeches to the Parliament which determined that his elevation to King. That Cromwell's remedy for the many and various ills and plagues which devastated England and perished her statesmen. "You must get men of spirit. I raised such men as made some conscience of what they did and from that day forward, I must say to you, they were better beaten, and wherever they were engaged against the enemy, they beat continually."

I beg pardon for this diversion, I intended only an inkling of this bit of history in my first letter; but have been forced to marshal the above facts to make that glimpse less obscure. This very day in which I am writing, with its waving of flags to the breeze of heaven, and the bells, and the shouts of children, all force me to sing something of gratitude to Pilgrim and Puritan emigration, which, in consequence of its devout character, was vallant in storming the superstitious and the powers of darkness, saved Canada from the rule of the French, and thus rendered possible the Louisiana Purchase. And now again I continue my description of the exposition, where the name St. Louis indicates the history of the city. The building, 525x1200 feet, occupies a floor space, with those devoted to Vard Industries, 525x1200, Manufacturers, 525x1200, Liberal Arts, 525x750, and Mines and Metallurgy, 525x750, are all educational and delightfully attractive. You are more than amply repaid by a desire to see the whole and the desire to examine minutely this or that particular exhibit.

If it were possible, you would send me every article of the exposition, and I would have the other eye would remain examining with increasing enjoyment some particular alcove. In these buildings husband and wife separate, parties break up in small sections, you actually get separated from your own identity, and forget "where you are at," till some hard headed person of the company leads you out to a seat in one of the music pavilions, or into one of the boats on the Lagoon, and there to the sound of melody or the waving of gentle waves you awake, and realize you have dreamed the dream of your life.
J. P. Cilley.
To be Continued.

AS BELFAST SEES IT.

The Journal Favors Penobscot County Candidate for Attorney General.

There are three candidates in the field for the office of attorney general of Maine—Bertram L. Smith of Portland, H. B. Hamlin of Ellsworth and J. M. Libby of Mechanic Falls. We are inclined to think that most people in this county at least, will eliminate the last name from the list, and that leaves the choice between Smith and Hamlin. The former is and has been for some years the county attorney of Penobscot county and there can be no question as to his qualifications for the office. This is also true of Mr. Hamlin, but there are forty-three people taken into consideration. Is not Hancock county asking too much in the way of high offices? She has two Speakerships of the last House; and the legislature which is to select the attorney general is expected to return to the United States Senates Mr. Hamlin's law partner, Senator Hale. It looks as though the attorney generalship should go to Penobscot county.—Belfast Journal.

BRACKETT-HOWELL.

George Brackett and Mrs. Sarah A. Howell were married Saturday evening, July 16, only the relatives of the contracting parties being present at the ceremony. Mr. Brackett is a native of Rockland but has made his home in Waldoboro the greater part of the past five years. He is a brother of Mrs. James A. Trowbridge, and is employed at Hotel Savoy. Mrs. Brackett is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson formerly of Springfield, Mass., but who moved to Waldoboro some four or five years ago.

IT'S SUPT. WITHAM.

Former Rockland Man in Command of Massachusetts Prison Camp.

William A. Witham, formerly of this city, is superintendent of the temporary industrial camp for prisoners which has been established in West Rutland, Mass.

For many years the Massachusetts person commissioners have been considering what plan they could adopt whereby the short-term prisoners could be provided with some sort of employment, the policy of the state being to eliminate all work in the prisons which in any way competes with honest labor outside. At last the prison camp idea was hit upon, and the legislature authorized the purchase of the present tract of land and the setting up of the camp.

Chairman Pettigrove of the prison commission says that there has gone out an impression that the new prison camp is to be similar to the convict camps of the south. No such thing is contemplated by the Massachusetts authorities, he says. Convicts, that is to say, inmates of the state prison, are not to be sent there. Only the best of the short-term prisoners from the various county jails of the state will be sent to the Rutland prison camp. Most of the men to be sent will be selected from the most orderly short-term prisoners from the county jail. Most of them will be those committed for drunkenness, who, when they are kept away from liquor, are well behaved.

There will be little restraint exercised over the men at the prison camp. They will be permitted to go to and from their work on the farm, much the same as ordinary farm hands, but of course, there will be guards on the lookout in the vicinity of the spot where they are employed. If any prisoner does run away it will go hard with him, and he will be returned to his original place of incarceration and deprived of many of the privileges accorded to the other inmates of the jail.

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RURAL FREE DELIVERY.

Postmaster General Payne was in Portland Tuesday, and on Monday things were interviewed upon the subject of rural free delivery. With reference to the salaries of the rural free delivery carriers Mr. Payne said that he had a misunderstanding about the provision made by Congress for an increase in the salaries of the rural carriers. When the service was established the maximum pay of the carriers was \$600 per year but under the new law the maximum salary will be \$720 per year. Under the new salary bill the carriers are to receive pay according to the length of the route which they have to traverse. That is to say, the standard route for rural delivery is about 24 miles and it is for routes of this size that the government is to pay the maximum salary of \$720, and it is probable that efforts now serving from 18 to 24 miles increased where it would be to the advantage of the communities through which the carriers pass, so that by enlarging the smaller routes the carriers will be as nearly equal in the amount of the salary paid, as it is possible to figure.

THE RED JACKET.

The south window in D. T. Percy's store which is decorated in honor of the Kennebec Yacht club, this being their cruising week, is attracting much attention. In the center is an exact likeness of the famous ship Red Jacket which hailed from Rockland. It was made by Capt. Frank Patten of the steel schooner Kineo and although somewhat disabled is an oddity which cannot fail to attract owing to her peculiar build and rig. A Kennebec Yacht club pennant occupies the center of the background and silk American flags set off the decorations aided by flags of many kinds overhead. Although simple it is one of the best window decorations ever seen in Bath.—Friday's Bath Times.

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Chats on Books.

Houghton, Mifflin & Co. publish five separate editions of Hawthorne's "The Scarlet Letter" ranging in price from \$1.50 to 30 cents. They have a fine Large Paper Edition limited to 200 copies with photogravure illustrations by F. O. C. Darley, printed on India paper; also a regular edition with the same illustrations as above; a Holiday Edition with illustrations by Mary Hallack Foster; and two expensive Popular Editions.

The leading article in The Living Age for July 30th will be "Count Tolstoy on the War." This is the complete text of the ten-column letter in The London Times, in which Count Tolstoy recently arraigned the Russian Government and the Czar with such vehemence that the Russian Council of State had under serious consideration the punishment of the author for his plain speaking. It is in the Count's most characteristic and scathing style.

Martin Hume, whose latest book, "The Love Affairs of Mary, Queen of Scots," has been so favorably received, is now engaged in revising his preceding work, "The Courtship of Queen Elizabeth." He is adding two new chapters on Elizabeth's personal integrity, a question debated by historians with much ardor. Mr. Hume holds strong views as to the moral character of Elizabeth and believes he has documents and facts to prove her weakness as a woman.

An important literary event will mark the August McClure's in the appearance of the opening instalments of the first story of childhood from the pen of Frances Hodgson Burnett, since the days of "Little Lord Fauntleroy," which has been, by general consent, voted the best book of child-life ever published. In her new story Mrs. Burnett makes a little girl the central character and idealizes her charming heroine quite as she did the hero who preceded her.

The August (Midsummer Holiday) Century will reproduce in color two views of Bermuda's sea-gardens made by Charles R. Knight. Since the charm and beauty of these wonderful sea-gardens lie in their rich and varied coloring, only reproduction in color can render any adequate idea of them. There will be six other color pictures in the number, four Italian villa scenes by Maxfield Parrish, a representation of one of Utah's marvelous natural bridges by Harry Penn, and "The New Game," by Miss Betts. This midsummer holiday number too will be made notable by Andre Castaigne's pictures of the Fair, ten views in all of the St. Louis Exposition.

In America or is England the literary center of the English writing world? Edgar Jepson, the author of "The Admirable Tinker," himself a distinguished representative of the English school of novel writers, seems to think that leading honors lie with us. He says: "I have been for a long time watching the vigorous development of American fiction, and reading much of it with no less pleasure and assuredly more profit than I derive from the most widely read novels of my countrymen and countrywomen writing today. Indeed I have been forced to the conclusion that the Americans are beginning to leave us behind, and that some fiction, and that I mean the genuine interpretation of life and character, receives a more hearty and wider welcome in the States than it does here; chiefly, of course, the interpretation of American life and character."

Eugene Field was a book collector, and one of his favorite jokes, according to the Philadelphia Post, was to enter a bookshop where he was not known and ask in the solemnest manner for an expurgated edition of Mrs. Hemans's poems. One day in Milwaukee he was walking along the street with his friend, George Yenowine, when the latter halted in front of a bookshop and said: "Gene, the proprietor of this place is the most serious man I ever knew. He never says a joke in his life. Wouldn't it be a good chance to try again for that expurgated Mrs. Hemans?" Without a word Field entered, asked for the proprietor, and then made the usual request. "That is a rather scarce book," came the reply. "Are you prepared to pay a fair price for it?" For just a second Field was taken aback; then he said: "Certainly, certainly; I—I know it's rare." The man stepped to a case, took out a cheaply bound volume, and handed it to Field, saying: "The price is \$5." Filed took it nervously, opened to the title page, and read in correct print: "The Poems of Mrs. Felicia Hemans. Selected and Arranged with All the Objections and Passages noticed by George Yenowine, Editor of Isaac Watts for the Home, 'The Fireside Hannah More,' etc.," with the usual publishers name and date at the bottom. Field glanced up at the bookseller, who stood there the very picture of sad solemnity. "I'll take it," said Field, faintly, producing the money. Outside Yenowine was missing. At his office the boy said that he had just left, saying that he was going to Standing Rock, Dak., to keep an appointment with Sitting Bull.

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The Carpenter.
That evening, when the Carpenter swept out
The fragrant shavings from the workshop floor,
And placed the tools in order and shut to
And barred, for the last time, the humble door,
And, going on his way to save the world,
Turned from the laborer's lot for evermore,
I wonder—was he glad?
That morning, when the Carpenter walked forth
From Joseph's doorway, in the glimmering light,
And bade his holy Mother long farewell,
And, through the rose-shed skies with dawn-
Saw glimmering the dark shadow of the Cross,
Yet, seeing, set his feet toward Calvary's height,
I wonder—was he sad?
Ah! when the Carpenter went on his way,
He thought not for himself of good or ill,
One was his path, through shop or thronging men,
Craving his help e'en to the cross-crowned hill.
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His joy. His life to his Master's will,
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FOOT OF LIMEROCK STREET

Capt. Peter Kennedy has bought the Bells cottage at Crescent Beach and will occupy it this season.

The Spring street lunch cart, Pearl Smith caterer, has been painted inside and outside in attractive colors.

In Huston's window is an original drawing in water colors for an illustration from a recent issue of Outing. Arthur Henning was the artist.

The registrar's board has about completed its midsummer session, which is the revision of the check list according to the returns of the assessors.

The cigar makers field day this year will be at Crescent Beach, on Labor Day. Arthur Titus, Isadore Sobel and T. Sherin have the granting of privileges.

The First Maine Heavies hold their annual reunion in Boston, Aug. 17. It will be remembered that they met at Vinalhaven last year, and had a very fine time.

The Maine Central ferry steamer Sebena broke her shaft last Thursday and is on the South Marine Railway awaiting the restoration of that important piece of apparatus.

Rockland will build a limited amount of sewer this year, the only pieces in contemplation being on Hill and Frederick streets. Work on Hill street is expected to commence this week.

The condition of Frank Campbell, who fell from the staging of an ice house at Holiday beach one week ago last Saturday, is constantly improving. The attending physician now considers him practically out of danger.

The hook and ladder truck, and ladders have been painted by E. R. Bowler the latter part of the week, and had there been a fire while it was in progress the hook and ladder company would have had a very interesting experience.

Thirteen hundred feet of new concrete water were built in Rockland this season, including 500 feet on State street and an extension of 800 feet on North Main street. The Middle street walk and Union street from Middle to Summer have been resurfaced.

Mayor Rhodes' bill of fare last Friday included new potatoes from his own garden. Mr. Rhodes does not pretend to be an expert farmer but he has a theory that the small and insignificant potatoes which sprout in the cellar will produce the best and earliest crops.

Tickets for the Mildred Clark benefit concert are on sale at the Maine Music Store, A. Ross Weeks' and C. E. Rising's. At this concert the program will consist of the Breakwater at Rockland, our most popular soloists, as follows:

Miss Abbie Bird, Miss McLaughlin, Mrs. Coppin; Miss Mary Jordan, violinist; Alice Shaw and Emma Law, pianists. The program will also include a recitation by Miss Julia Annis, reader, Mrs. James Wight is accompanist.

Miss Mabel R. Stratton, formerly a pupil in the Rockland public schools, has completed her course at St. Lawrence University, Canton, N. Y., with high honors, having received the degree of B. A. Magna Cum Laude, in June. Miss Stratton also had the honor of being received into the National Fraternity of sororship, Phi Beta Kappa. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stratton, now of Hightstown, N. J. attended the commencement exercises.

The Sixth Maine Battery Association has its annual reunion in Boston Wednesday, Aug. 17. The reunion is being held at the Hotel Marlborough, which was secretary of the organization 15 years, is torn by conflicting emotions as to what he shall do. Like all other soldiers he sets a great store by the regimental reunions, but in order to attend this one he would be obliged to miss Rockland's semi-centennial exercises of Tuesday night and the big parade of Wednesday. It is very unfortunate that the Rockland celebration conflicts with the National Grand Army Encampment in Boston, as there are many citizens who would like to attend both. The Grand Army parade takes place on Monday, Tuesday.

Some idea of the danger from electric wires may be obtained by a glance at the steam fire engine which was on duty at Tillson wharf last Wednesday night. The trolley wire which had become detached from one of its supports swung very low as many spectators will recall. Once it struck the wheel of the steamer, burning a gap into the steel tire and scorching the paint on the spokes. Edward S. Ward, fireman of the steamer was in close proximity and the rapidity with which he quit the vicinity was a revelation of his powers of agility. The steamer has been viewed by many persons and it is the general verdict that Mr. Ward and others had a very narrow escape.

The Cobb Club had an interesting meeting Friday night, in spite of the fact that the moving picture exhibit did not materialize. The entertainment committee for the next meeting consists of E. J. Clifton, John W. Thomas, Dr. A. R. Smith, Freeman W. Perry and H. N. McDougall, who have guaranteed some pleasing attractions on hand. The matter of a flag-raising was discussed, and it was found that the preparations were going forward in a satisfactory manner. It is planned to unfurl several flags the same night. The principal flag has not been secured, but a committee was appointed to arrange for it. At the conclusion of the meeting the members formed a procession and marched to the Thurlow ice cream parlors under the leadership of President Wight. The last person to leave the tables was the city electrician who caused the disappearance of an ordinary cream and a harlequin in succession. The excursion committee of the club is arranging for a visit to Camden when the Republicans hold a flag raising, which will probably be one week from last night. The Club will also attend the Thomaston flag raising which may possibly take place next Saturday night. The members are enthusiastic over the campaign plans and are eager to enter the fray.

If you have a picture that you want framed in artistic style, be sure to take it to Spear's, 408 Main street. Their line of Mountings is very fine and their prices are right.

W. A. McCausland, the steel ceiling expert, is working in Bath with two assistants. They are staying at American House.

Simon P. Howard, a well known resident of Belmont, died in that town July 18. One of the two surviving sisters is Mrs. Mary Arnold of this city.

Thomaston Republicans have a flag-raising next Saturday night. The Rockland Cobb Club will attend. Arrangements for the trip will be announced in our next issue.

The meeting of the Shipworkers' Association, which was to have been held Saturday evening in Socialists' hall, has been changed on account of the storm to Wednesday evening of this week. In addition to their regular business they will consider taking part in the Labor Day celebration.

James P. Carey will be the speaker at Utopia Park next Sunday. Although defeated in the election of two years ago, Mr. Carey is said to have lost none of his oratorical ability, and he will doubtless be greeted by many of the admirers he has made at Utopia in the last two or three years.

The Sunday weather was unfavorable for pleasure seekers, but in spite of this quite a number of meals were served at Mrs. Follett's Oakland cafe. The excursion to the steamboat dock was postponed, but is intended to have these Sunday trips every week when the weather does permit. They will be resumed next Sunday.

William T. White lost a valuable gold watch at the Tillson wharf fire last Wednesday night. It was found by Bud Flye, one of the city drivers and in due season was returned to the owner. Bud received a substantial reward and will thank his lucky stars as he sits in a reserved seat and watches the Forepaugh circus in Bath tomorrow.

On the site of the cold storage building which was destroyed last week the Rockland Building Co. is erecting a modern building even larger than the one which stood there, and which will be equipped with a reasonable amount of protection against fire. Simmons, White & Co. and the Shuman Machine Co. have already signed their intention of becoming tenants.

The Street Railway is making Oakland more attractive as fast as the opportunity offers. During the past week a dozen or more swings have been set up and several have been built in many a cozy nook. The band stand will be completed this week and "old glory" will float from the lofty flag pole which surmounts it. The cafe is being replaced by a comfortable restaurant of red, white and blue bunting. The dining room overlooks old ocean and cooling breezes fresh from the water are served with each meal.

It has been the prevailing opinion that the Rockland Breakwater was completed but in the current number of the Marine Journal appears an advertisement to the effect that sealed proposals for placing stone on the outer slope of the Breakwater at Rockland Harbor, Maine, will be received at the U. S. Engineer office in Portland until noon Aug. 18, and then publicly opened. The outer slope has already been reinforced by the Breakwater at Rockland. It appears that the government wants the work done even more thoroughly. It takes a mighty barrier to withstand the force of the nor' easter.

The following is the list of principal engaged in the city's stupendous musical production "The Silver Slipper," Snitz Edwards, Harry Burcher, Frank D. Nelson, Fred D. Freeman, Miss Beatrice Golden, Miss Lora Selby, Miss Virginia Palmer, Miss Gertrude Douglas, Miss Gene Cole, and Miss Mary Williams. In addition there are the English Dancing Girls, The Venus Girls, the Student Girls, the "Champagne Waiters," chorus of fifty, special orchestra of ten men, directed by Max Winne, and the working staff of carpenters, property men, calcium light and baggage men, also wadrobe keepers.

While seated near the window of his home on Mason street Sunday afternoon ex-Mayor D. N. Mortland saw a man come in on the walk. The doorman did not ring and wondering where the man had gone Mr. Mortland went to investigate. He first noted that his umbrella was gone from the door step, and looking down the street saw two men walking away, one of whom carried the missing umbrella. Amazed and provoked at this display of nerve, Mr. Mortland started in pursuit. Stepping up to the man who held his umbrella he said: "I guess I'll take charge of that my friend, and now you had better come along with me." The man expostulated, but concluded to go along quietly, and was taken by Mr. Mortland to the police station, where he was turned over to the somewhat astounded police. He gave the name of Matthew Magee and said he belonged in Portland. He is now a 30-day resident at the county jail where there is ample protection against escape. He first noted that his umbrella was gone from the door step, and looking down the street saw two men walking away, one of whom carried the missing umbrella. Amazed and provoked at this display of nerve, Mr. Mortland started in pursuit. Stepping up to the man who held his umbrella he said: "I guess I'll take charge of that my friend, and now you had better come along with me." The man expostulated, but concluded to go along quietly, and was taken by Mr. Mortland to the police station, where he was turned over to the somewhat astounded police. He gave the name of Matthew Magee and said he belonged in Portland. He is now a 30-day resident at the county jail where there is ample protection against escape. He first noted that his umbrella was gone from the door step, and looking down the street saw two men walking away, one of whom carried the missing umbrella. Amazed and provoked at this display of nerve, Mr. Mortland started in pursuit. Stepping up to the man who held his umbrella he said: "I guess I'll take charge of that my friend, and now you had better come along with me." The man expostulated, but concluded to go along quietly, and was taken by Mr. Mortland to the police station, where he was turned over to the somewhat astounded police. He gave the name of Matthew Magee and said he belonged in Portland. He is now a 30-day resident at the county jail where there is ample protection against escape.

The young ladies who were rescued from a submerged rock, while fishing at Oakland last Thursday, object to our report of the mishap as being exaggerated in some particulars. They claim that they walked ashore on the ladder which was extended to them, and that they did not "clamber into the arms of their rescuer without regard to dignity." In spite of the peril of the occasion the young ladies did not lose their regard for etiquette and this opinion is confirmed by the testimony of the few eye-witnesses. The Courier-Gazette regrets that anybody should have taken seriously what was intended to be a humorous reference to the affair.

The Democratic county committee and co-workers held a meeting at the Hearst Club headquarters Saturday and figured it all out on paper how they will be able to save the county in September. The campaign will begin in mid-August and the Democrats hope to be able to get some prominent speaker, like Champ Clark, Bryan or Bourke Cockran. Cyrus W. Davis, candidate for governor will stump the county, it is announced, and several flags will be let loose as well as oratory. At the meeting Saturday about a dozen members of the county committee were present and all the candidates for office. The latter were all there for fear their assessment would not be large enough.

Albert Clarke, the well known ball player was in the city the latter part of the week. At present he is enjoying a vacation at his home in Damariscotta Mills, but is hard telling how long he will stay here. He will eventually reside there. The terms of the sale are not made public but it is understood that the new owner secured a very good bargain. The house is said to have cost its original owner about \$6,000.

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Six pair Plain Curtains, were 85c, now	49c
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Three pair of Plain Curtains, lace insertion, were 79c, now	49c
Two patterns in Spot and Stripes with hem-stitched ruffle, were 85c, now	65c pair
One lot of 8 pair Plain Curtains with three tucks, lace insertion, good full ruffle, were 98c, now	75c pair
Three pair Plain, double ruffle, were \$1.19, now	50c pair
Three pair Plain, double ruffle, lace trimmed, were \$1.98, now	98c
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The Eastern Star Chapters of Rockland, Camden, Thomaston, St. George, Warren, Union and Vinalhaven have their annual field day at Oakland next Wednesday. There will be a picnic dinner, and the remainder of the day will be devoted to a variety of sports and amusements. Members are requested to provide their own dishes and food for a picnic dinner. Coffee will be served free.

THAT VOTING CONTEST.
Louis will soon be at the point of award. The contestants are getting busier every day and their friends as the time approaches are exhibiting steadily increasing interest in the result. That of course continues to be a known quantity. The certain fact is that this paper gives away four splendid free excursions; the uncertainty consists only in the decision as to what four persons will enjoy the outing.

CARD OF THANKS.
I take this opportunity of publicly thanking the many friends, neighbors, Knights of Pythias, Grange, Rathbone Sisters, and others, for sympathy, assistance and floral tributes during the sickness and at the funeral of my husband, Roland V. Follett.
Mrs. Roland V. Follett.
Rockland, July 26, 1904.

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RICHARDS--Tomahs Harbor July 12, to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Richards of New York City, a son, Melvin Lewis.

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Under False Colors

By W. W. HINES

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Ogden could not recollect having lost any uncle lately, and it was a distinct surprise to be greeted as a nephew by the stern featured old man in the puffing automobile.

"Come here, you young rascal," the old man almost shouted as the automobile drew up to the sidewalk.

Without knowing why, Ogden went. Perhaps it was curiosity, perhaps it was because he did not happen to think of anything else to do. At any rate he stepped up to the automobile and took a good long look at its occupant.

"Get in here at once," said the old man.

"Why?" asked Ogden.

"Why?" repeated the old man. "Because I tell you to do so. Here I have been looking for you for the past two weeks and now you want to run away when I find you. That is a pretty way for an only nephew to treat his uncle."

"So you are my uncle?" said Ogden quizzically. Then the spirit of adventure, which had been his guiding star all his life, seized possession of him, and he stepped into the vehicle, which started, puffing, down the avenue toward Washington square.

On the way down he puzzled with himself as to the part which he was acting, or rather being forced to act. As nearly as he could gather from the conversation of the old man, he was his nephew Rodney. The last name had not been introduced into the conversation, Rodney seemed to have come from the west for a visit and to have left the house without warning, after a more or less violent quarrel with his uncle.

"What did you want to run away for, you young rascal?" the girl is certainly as pretty a girl as you will find in the whole country, sir. It was only to be expected that she should show some coquetry about accepting you, but I am surprised that any nephew of mine would be such a fool as to run away from a pretty girl. Why did you do it, sir?" The old gentleman was very irate.

Taking his cue from the fragmentary information furnished him by these remarks, Ogden, resolved to carry through the comedy, straightened himself up and remarked, with his most dignified air:

"Because I trust that I am too much of a gentleman to force my attentions in any quarter where they are not wanted." He had read this sentence in some old fashioned book and thought it might go well with this elderly uncle.

The old fellow looked rather pleased and said:

"I should have understood it, my boy. The sentiment does credit to your blood and your breeding, sir. But my heart is set on this match. Just tell the girl you won't take 'No' for an answer and she will come around in time. Eh, sir, when I was your age I would have been delighted with the coquetry she has used on you."

By this time the automobile had come to a stop in front of one of the old houses along the north side of the square, and the two passengers alighted.

Entering the house, the old man, with Rodney in tow, made for the drawing-room, where they could hear some one playing on the piano. The room was rather dark, but as they entered, the light was good enough for Rodney to make out the uncommonly pretty girl seated at the piano. She got up hastily as they entered the room and ran to greet the old man. Then she turned to Ogden and said:

"So you have come back, Cousin Rodney? I was under the impression that you had left the city."

Feeling rather ashamed of himself for carrying on the deception, but overpowered by the desire for adventure, Ogden sat down and joined in the conversation, fencing carefully for time whenever he was asked a question the answer to which might betray his identity. Whenever he got a chance he stole a glance at the girl. He fancied once or twice that he detected a flicker of amusement upon her face. She was evidently watching him narrowly, and the conviction grew upon him that she suspected he was an impostor. The girl was certainly a beauty, and he could not understand why the real Rodney had been so cautious enough to run away from her society, even if he had found his presence more or less unwelcome.

By and by the old gentleman excused himself upon the plea that he must take his regular afternoon nap and left the two young people alone. The moment he was safely out of hearing the girl broke into a peal of laughter and said:

"Did you think he had fooled me?" She was taking it very nicely, thought Ogden, and he braced himself up enough to say:

"No, I knew you recognized my imposture. But, believe me, I am not an intentional impostor. Your uncle picked me up on the street and swore up and down that I was his nephew. It would not have been proper to accuse him of falsehood, so I just came along."

The girl grew serious and said:

"You knew uncle is a bit near-sighted, and he will not, under any circumstances, consent to wear glasses. You do look wonderfully like his nephew. But don't you know who you are supposed to be?"

"No more idea than the man in the moon," asserted Ogden solemnly.

"Why, you are supposed to be Rod-

ney Phillips. You know him, don't you?"

"Rodney Phillips? No; I don't believe I do. But stop. Why, 'Chesty' Phillips that I used to room with at Yale. His right name was Rodney, but no one ever called him by that name. So that explains the resemblance. The fellows used to call us the 'Two Dromedaries.'"

"Yes," said the girl, laughing heartily, "and you are Ogden Harwood. Cousin Rodney has shown me pictures of you a dozen times and commented on the resemblance."

"But tell me," interrupted Ogden—"why did Rodney run away from you?"

"Because he is engaged to a very dear friend of mine, and uncle won't hear of his marrying any one but me. Rodney hasn't a cent except his slender salary and the allowance uncle nukes him, so he has to dissemble."

"I would like very much to see the girl Rodney is engaged to," said Ogden.

"And why?" asked the girl.

"She must be very beautiful indeed."

"How do you know?"

"Is it proper to pay compliments upon short acquaintance?"

"You may answer my question when you have known me longer."

"Thanks, since that means you are not going to cut me when next we meet."

"But you had better leave before uncle comes down from his nap."

"And when can I be properly introduced to you?"

"Didn't you know Raymond Pearson at Yale?"

"Yes, but why?"

"He is to be married to a friend of mine next week, and I am to be the maid of honor. Can't you get him to invite you?"

"I am in town to be his best man."

"What a coincidence! But you must go now."

"All right. Then I'll just say an revoir until we are properly introduced."

"Yes, an revoir until the rehearsal of the ceremony next Tuesday."

And Ogden went down the steps and into the street, conscious of the fact that he was looking forward to the wedding of his friend Pearson with much more interest than even a best man is supposed to take in such an event.

Doctor and Dying Patient.

In an address before the American Medical Association an eminent physician, speaking on the question, "Shall a Physician Tell a Patient He is Going to Die," said:

"The truth is not always so alarming to the patient, painful as it often is to the physician. In fact, it seems to me this is one of our duties that does not become less trying with increasing experience. To the sick man whose thoughts have been turned toward the end longer than others suspect, intimation of a fatal end often brings no shock, but rather relief from the ending of a painful uncertainty. According to the rulers of the Roman Catholic church a timely announcement should always be given, and those who have witnessed the last days of members of this faith can confirm the statement that good often follows, speaking an absestus from a medical standpoint, and rarely harm, while the same thing is true of many of other faiths or of no faith. Even where we have to give a fatal prognosis there are certain mollifying influences that can be introduced, aside from those that spring from a tender heart. A hope can be expressed based on the fallibility of human knowledge in general and medical knowledge in particular."

The Rocking Chair in the Dark.

Although the name of the man who invented the American rocking chair has been lost to us in the mists of time, it is considered highly probable that new arrivals on registering in the hereafter will be able to see it emblazoned on the scroll of fame in letters of brimstone. To the sick man whose thoughts have been turned toward the end longer than others suspect, intimation of a fatal end often brings no shock, but rather relief from the ending of a painful uncertainty. According to the rulers of the Roman Catholic church a timely announcement should always be given, and those who have witnessed the last days of members of this faith can confirm the statement that good often follows, speaking an absestus from a medical standpoint, and rarely harm, while the same thing is true of many of other faiths or of no faith. Even where we have to give a fatal prognosis there are certain mollifying influences that can be introduced, aside from those that spring from a tender heart. A hope can be expressed based on the fallibility of human knowledge in general and medical knowledge in particular."

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FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

Laundering Embroidered Linen.

Delicate embroidered table pieces can be laundered, but it requires care and patience.

Into an earthen bowl place a liberal supply of clean, soft, hot, though not scalding, water. With a pure soap make a light suds. Put in a single piece of the embroidered linen. Never try to wash two pieces at a time. Rub suds gently upon until clean, but do not rub roughly or generally. The embroidered places seldom need rubbing. Remove from suds and rinse in clean water.

Lay the piece of embroidery immediately between two towels. Roll the towels in such a way that no part of the linen can touch any other part of the piece and wring or beat gently. Leave the linen in the towels until the silks are dry.

When silks are dry lay the embroidered piece face down on a thick ironing board. Over the back spread a clean cloth and iron over the whole lightly and rapidly. The secret of preserving the beauty of the embroidery lies in not pressing the silks too heavily or allowing the iron to rest upon the embroidered places long enough to steam them. If the center of the piece dries too rapidly cover it with a damp cloth and continue the light, rapid ironing of the embroidered places until both edges and center are thoroughly dried.

Care of Men's Clothes.

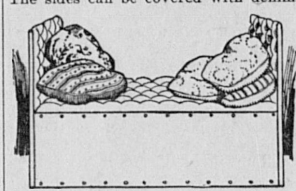
Men's suits, like women's heavy skirts, look well and retain their shape for a much longer time if, when not in use, they are always folded in their original creases and laid away, not hung up in the ordinary way.

A coat collar is quickly cleaned if benzine is poured on it and with a cloth rubbed briskly in, and a man is not happy looking when his coat has a soiled collar. Besides, these little attentions by prolonging the usefulness of one's expensive garment may save money to buy other things.

First brush the garment, then wet the grease spots with benzine and rub with a cloth the color of the goods and mend if need be. Then take it to the ironing board. Have a hot iron always. Wring a lintless cloth out of cold water and, laying it on the garment, iron till dry. This "freshens" and removes dust as it goes. Repeat till every part of the garment has been ironed. By this process alone even quite disreputable looking old pantaloons are made to look new.

For a Girl's Room.

An attractive double chair can be made for a girl's room by selecting a long, rather narrow box and nailing to each end of it a high side or arm. The sides can be covered with denim,



HOMEMADE DOUBLE CHAIR.

tacked or glued, or planed and painted. A coat of paint with an after brushing with enamel paint makes an artistic finish. Tufted cushions for the seat and the arms can be made of denim, matching or in contrast to the color of the box.

Chicken and Green Peppers.

Cut the meat from a cold roast or boiled chicken. Mince it mediumly fine, put it in a saucepan with just enough cream to moisten it, add a generous amount of butter and season the mince well with salt. Set the saucepan back on the stove, where the chicken will simmer gently. Remove the seeds from a sweet green pepper, then chop the pepper quite fine and add it to the chicken. Dissolve a tablespoonful of flour in a gill of milk, and after the pepper has cooked two minutes in the mince stir in the flour and milk and let the whole cook one minute. Then serve on thin slices of buttered toast laid on a hot platter.

Household Hints.

For sponging out bureau drawers or sideboards use tepid water containing a small quantity of thymol.

Jars and bottles that smell of onions will be quite sweet and odorless if left out of doors filled with sand or garden mold.

Varnished walls in the bathroom and halls are easily washed off, and it costs little in either money, time or trouble to varnish them.

Carved furniture which defies the dustcloth can be made as attractive as new by brushing it with a soft hair-brush dipped in kerosene.

Kitchen Brushes.

Every kitchen should be liberally supplied with brushes. There should be a scrub brush for the vegetables, a larger scrub brush for the floor and one for the sink and another for the stove. A long handled, soft, broad paint brush will be found a great convenience, as it can be used for dusting cupboard drawers and shelves. A narrower, smaller soft brush should be kept for brushing flour from biscuits, cookies, pies, etc.

To Mend China.

To mend broken china brush over the edges of the pieces with the slightly beaten white of an egg, following quickly with a dusting of unslacked lime, and press the pieces firmly together.

Salt on the Range.

If salt is sprinkled over the range before frying is commenced there will be no disagreeable odor if the fat spatters over.

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CASTING LOTS.

A Curious Military Custom That Was Once in vogue in Europe.

In the armies of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries the custom of casting lots to decide what soldiers should be punished for the offenses of all was common. At Winchester, England, in 1645, complaint was made that after the surrender there had been unfair plundering. Six soldiers were tried and found guilty, and it was decided by lot which one of the six should be hanged. At Tanger in 1693, and again in 1695, two soldiers had to cast dice on a drumhead, and he who threw the least was executed. Thomas May's translation of Barclay's "Icon Animorum" gives a curious story of this sort. Speaking of English courage, he says that during the war in the Netherlands some soldiers of the Spanish party were taken prisoners by the Dutch, who decided to make reprisals for the previous cruelty of their enemies. Out of four and twenty men eight were to be hanged. "There were lots, therefore, thrown into a helmet," says May, "and the prisoners were commanded to draw a blank was to escape, but whoever should draw a black lot was to be hanged presently."

"They were all," says May, "possessed with a great apprehension of their present danger, especially one Spaniard. Their pitiful wailings and tears in some of the standers by did move pity, in others laughter. There was besides in that danger an Englishman, a common soldier, who, with a careless countenance, expressing no fear of death at all, came boldly to the helmet and drew his lot. Chance favored him; it was a safe lot. Being free himself from danger he came to the Spaniard, who was yet timorous and trembling to put his hand into the fatal helmet, and receiving from him 10 crowns he entreated the judges—oh, horrid audacity—that, dismissing the Spaniard, they would suffer him again to try his fortune."

May further relates that "the judges consented to the madman's request, who valued his life at so low a rate, and he again drew a safe lot." May seems rather to regret the second escape of the foolhardy Englishman, whom he denounces as "a wretch unworthy not only of that double, but even of a single preservation, who so basely had undervalued his life."

WOMAN.

What is woman? Only one of nature's agreeable blunders.—Bulwer.

A beautiful woman is the only tyrant man is not authorized to resist.—Victor Hugo.

Unhappy is the man to whom his own mother has not made all other mothers venerable.—Richter.

The best thing I know of is a fast wife, and the next best thing is a second rate one.—Josh Billings.

A beautiful woman is a practical poem, planting tenderness, hope and eloquence in all whom she approaches.

They govern the world, these sweet voiced women, because beauty and harmony are the index of a larger fact than wisdom.—O. W. Holmes.

A good book and a good woman are excellent things for those who know how to appreciate their value. There are men, however, who judge of both by the beauty of the coverings.—Dr. Johnson.

We Mean Well.

Heaven send that no friend with a pocketful of pebbles be tempted by the shine and glimmer of our glass houses, for indeed we meant well! Here it is—the knowledge in which imagination must take root if stone throwing is ever to go out of fashion and the world become a pleasant place to live in—namely, that most everybody else means well too. The creed of the imaginative and kindly heart which will not throw stones is brief:

There is so much good in the worst of us, That it is much to be in the best of us. That it becomes any one of us To talk about the rest of us unless we can do it with truth and sympathy.—Margaret Deland in Harper's Bazar.

British Naval Red Tape.

The British navy can produce fine samples of red tape as well as the army. Not long since an admiral took the trouble to write a long minute on the back of an ordinary routine paper submitted to him to the effect that the margin on the left hand side was fully one-eighth of an inch too narrow. We all know that genius is an infinite capacity for taking pains, but I hardly think that the genius of Blake or Nelson is likely to be exemplified in an admiral who goes over his official papers with a tape measure in order to see that the margins are the right width.—London Truth.

Too Suggestive.

"The health officer advised me to ask every man with whom we had domestic dealings if he was careful to boil the water he used in his business."

"Yes."

"Well, I asked the milkman first. And what do you think? He got mad and wanted to lick me!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Knobs.

Tess—What do you think of my new shoes? Quite nobby, aren't they? Jess—Yes, they are rather knobby, but I think any first class chiropodist could remove the knobs.—Philadelphia Press.

Suspicious.

Friend—What makes you think Tom has broken his promise to keep straight? Fiancee—Well, he brings me more expensive presents than he used to.—Princeton Tiger.

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GRAY SQUIRRELS.

They Will Eat Meat and Have Been Known to Rob Birds' Nests.

It has been well said that the gray squirrels one sees everywhere in some of our New England towns are an indication of a higher civilization. It is certainly a pleasure to see these graceful creatures running across trolley tracks or over lawns unmolested. A stranger would have a very high estimate of the people of a city that could draw to it these shy animals. Like many rodents, however, gray squirrels will eat meat on occasions. They will even rob birds' nests. A friend on whom I can rely told me of two or three instances in Arlington, Mass., where gray squirrels had robbed robins' nests, having been caught in the very act.

One winter day, in going along a wild mountain stream, I was attracted by a fresh gray squirrel track, and on following it found where the squirrel had killed and eaten a mouse. He had evidently dug out the mouse, for I saw where he had dug snow and leaves away from the roots of some black alders to some depth. Then, taking the mouse in his teeth, he had run a few feet to a knoll, the mouse's tail having left its print in the snow between the tracks of the squirrel, and eaten it, leaving blood, hair and pieces of bone to tell of the feast.

One time I gave a young woodchuck to an old Irishwoman, who fed the chuck on ham. Now, if a woodchuck could eat ham, why not a gray squirrel eat mice or young birds? We have abundant proof that many flesh eaters will, on occasions, eat vegetable food as well as rodents eating flesh. Lovers of both squirrels and birds may find it possible to protect in some way the nests of thrushes, warblers, etc.—John Burroughs in Outing.

MODEL LODGINGS.

What the Rowton House Scheme in London Gives Its Patrons.

Every man who comes to a Rowton house is impressed with the fact that he can there obtain better value and more comfort than he can get anywhere else. He finds that the conditions under which he lives are improved and that he has congenial surroundings and associates. All the resources of civilization he can have—bright, warm, comfortable rooms, lavatories with basins supplied with hot and cold water, footbaths without extra payment and a full length bath with soap and towels for the nominal charge of one penny. A man can do his own laundry work if he so wishes. He can use any of the reading, smoking or writing rooms, and, above all, he has absolute freedom as regards his mode of living.

Although the Rowton House scheme provides a complete restaurant where food of all kinds can be procured at exceptionally low prices, probably cheaper than at any other place in London, at the same time no resident is obliged to purchase any of the commodities supplied by the company. Residents can, if they choose, buy everything they want outside the building, while inside the Rowton houses they will find provided for them, without charge, every cooking utensil necessary, with cutlery, crockery, etc., without limit. A constant supply of boiling water is at hand, and good fires and cooking ranges are kept going at all times. A specially arranged scullery, fitted with white glazed sinks, with supplies of hot and cold water, is provided, so that any man desirous of preparing his own food can do so without any supervision or any interference from his fellows.—Sir Richard Farrant in Cornhill Magazine.

Clean Hands.

On the subject of unclean hands a physician says that cases of infection that could be accounted for in no other way have been explained by the fingers as a vehicle. In handling money, especially paper, door knobs, banisters, car straps and a hundred things that every one must frequently touch, there are chances innumerable of picking up germs of typhoid, scarlatina, diphtheria, smallpox, etc. Wherefore to avoid any dangerous results the preventive is simply to wash the hands immediately and scrupulously before eating or touching that which is to be eaten.

SHIP PROTECTION.

Its Opponents Overlook the Main Question.

"Common sense from Mr. Hill" is what the New York Times calls the statement that the only way to get a large marine owned by Americans is to permit Americans to buy or build ships, just as they may find the more profitable. Yes; that is common sense as a free trader views it. It is, in that view, the height of common sense to buy in the cheapest and sell in the dearest market. But there is another way of looking at it. One of the witnesses before the congressional marine commission testified that free trade in ships would instantly close every shipyard in the United States. Would that be common sense? Another witness, ex-Congressman Farquhar of Buffalo, told the commission that the political party which should establish free trade in ships would alienate the votes of 2,000,000 members of American labor organizations. Would that be common sense?

It all depends upon the point of view. What Mr. Hill wants is the privilege of buying ships abroad instead of having them built at home at 25 to 50 per cent higher cost. He is in the transportation business, and he is looking for bargains in vehicles or vessels. He cares nothing about the shipbuilding industry in his own country.

Right here is where he separates himself from the subject under consideration. The marine commission is not only directed to investigate and report as to the best method of restoring the flag to its rightful place on the sea, but it must also report to the plan best calculated to revive the American industry of shipbuilding. The two questions go together. Of the two the shipbuilding half is by far the more important.

It is up to congress to find out not alone how to enable Americans to own ships, but how to enable Americans to build, own and operate ships. Mr. Hill has not yet grasped the whole proposition. Being a free trader, he can only see a part of it—that part which will enable him to get cheap ships. In so completely overlooking the main essential of having an American marine built, owned, operated and manned by Americans we do not think the Great Northern man has shown a very high quality of common sense.

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CLOUD BAROMETERS.

HOW TO FORETELL THE WEATHER BY LOOKING OVERHEAD.

Cirrus is the Highest of All Clouds, and Cumulus is Much the Biggest of Any Form of Cloud—The Wettest Cloud of All is Nimbus.

"It is clouding up. It must be going to rain." This is a remark you may hear constantly, and few people seem to realize that the one thing is by no means a consequence of the other.

True, all clouds are composed of water vapor, but it is absurd to imagine that because clouds become visible in the sky they are therefore going to discharge their contents upon our heads.

On the contrary, some clouds are actually prophets of fine weather. Cirrus, for instance, or curl cloud, as it is often picturesquely called, is, as a rule, a fine weather harbinger. Cirrus is the highest of all clouds. You can tell that by the fact that its thin, twily, fibrous streaks are illuminated by the last rays of the setting sun long after the earth below is wrapped in shadow. Threads and groups of cirrus clouds, the finer the better, appearing after a gale, presage a long continuance of settled weather. On the other hand, if after several fine days cirrus appears in long parallel bands stretching right across the sky in the form popularly known as "mares' tails," there will almost certainly be a change of wind and probably rain to follow.

Unlike other clouds, cirrus is composed not of water vapor, but of tiny crystals of ice. You can tell by its motion what the pace and direction of the highest current of wind. Quietly as it appears to be moving, careful observation has proved that cirrus sometimes travels at the rate of a mile in eighteen seconds.

Another form of cloud which is usually an accompaniment of fine, warm weather are the cottonlike, whitish balls which are scientifically termed cumulus.

Early in the morning of a fine summer day cumulus begins to form as a few soft, scattered specks in the blue above. These specks grow and enlarge without, as a rule, traveling very fast, for they are formed by vapor ascending from the earth in columns. By early afternoon they often cover the whole sky, but toward 4 or 5 o'clock they usually decrease and finally vanish by sunset. If they behave in this way you may be almost certain that the ensuing twenty-four hours will be fine.

On the other hand, if the cumulus clouds increase toward sunset, turn black in their centers and shine at the edges with an angry light, rain will follow, or in very hot weather, thunder. Thunder is specially foretold by the cumulus clouds showing rounded, sharply marked tops with silvery white edges. Cumulus, which turns very dark with black, shaggy edges, means cold rain accompanied by wind.

Cumulus is much the biggest of any form of cloud. A single cloud of this description will measure six or seven miles from its flat, dark base to its rounded, glistening summit—that is to say, its bulk and height far exceed those of earth's greatest mountains. The temperature in such a cloud as this has been measured to vary over 150 degrees—that is, from 80 degrees Fahrenheit at the base to 75 degrees below zero at its summit.

Stratus is still another form of cloud which presents no special indication of rain. It is more common at night than in the day and consists of long, horizontal bands of drabish cloud, which lie very low and near the earth's surface. It rises on calm, clear evenings after warm days and may often be seen in mountainous districts slowly creeping up the hillsides. If the sun rises through layers of stratus it is usually a sign of a fine, warm day to come. After sunrise, stratus, as a rule, rises higher into the air and slowly disappears.

In early summer, when the weather is showery, you may perhaps notice, through breaks in the rain clouds, an appearance of dense white cloudlets in small, irregular tufts brightly irradiated by sunshine. The children call it mackerel sky. Its real name is cirro cumulus, and it is a sure sign of heat and probably fine weather. Seen in winter, mackerel sky portends a thaw and wet, mild weather. It is the next highest cloud to the cirrus and is sometimes called sonder cloud.

A sure prophet of wind and rain is cirro stratus or vane cloud. It consists of long, thin clouds with torn edges flying at a great height above the earth. It is dull in color and irregular in shape.

The wettest cloud of all is nimbus, which is seen in its most perfect form during a thunderstorm. It is a mixture of other clouds, a dense black at gray sheet which often appears to come up against the wind. Usually when it first appears driving up over the horizon its edges are fringed and tipped with rolling masses of cumulus. The most ominous sign about a nimbus cloud is when its advancing summit is tipped with a mass of dense, white, smoky cloud, which seems to roll over and over. This is an omen of severe electrical disturbance and a furious squall.

—Pearson's Weekly.

A Cool Hand.

"Mamie, girl, that young man of yours has been coming now for almost a year."

"Yes, mother."

"Isn't it about time he was breaking the ice?"

"I don't believe he intends to break the ice. He's going to wear it out."

Puck.

A woman in Russia until the day of her death, if she remain unmarried, is under the absolute sway of her parents.

The Boston Mail and the Author.

Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by W. H. Kittredge and C. H. Pendleton.

I'll bet you had to look at the last page to see how it came out. Miss Quizer—No, I looked at the name of the publishers on the title page to see how it came out, and even now I can't understand how it was.—Boston Transcript.

Reformed.

Patience—Peggy used to sing all over the house before she married that man. Patience—So she did, dear, but you know he married her to reform her.—Yonkers Statesman.

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The SPORTING WORLD

Collins a Baseball General.

Captain-Manager Jimmy Collins of the champion Boston Americans is putting up a stiff fight for the pennant again this year, and from present indications his team should repeat the victory of a year ago.

Collins is one of the ablest baseball field generals as well as one of the

most successful.

Mr. Collins, who is now in the city, called here by the illness of his mother, Mrs. Olive Graham.

Harry Paul of North Searsmont is staying for a few weeks.

Henry Clark, wife and daughter Jennie of Razorville were recent guests of S. N. Simmons and wife.

Mr. Banks, wife and little son of Marlboro, Mass., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Simmons.

Rowce Newbert has gone to Round Pond to work in the porgy factory.

Sherman Hazeltine of Haverhill, Mass., and Quinglus Gurney of Belfast are at John Gurney's for a few weeks.

Mrs. Arthur H. Price of Rockland visited her cousin, Mrs. Bertha Simmons recently.

Arthur Orne of Rockland called on friends in town Thursday.

Hazel Graham has returned from a week's stay at North Hope.

Fred Witham of Portland visited Chas. Hoyt last week.

Fred Philbrook and family are to move into Mrs. Lucy Creighton's house next week.

WEST AFRICAN CANNIBALS.

They Cultivate Their Fields, but Plow Fully Armed.

An interesting story is told by the commissioners who have been engaged for the last eighteen months in fixing the Anglo-German frontiers in west Africa between the town of Yola and Lake Tchad.

The region traversed is little known owing to the hostility of the tribes. The Fulani villages were found quite friendly, but beyond Lau, a large town on the Bernu, there lies a mountainous region inhabited by pagans who in many cases are cannibals.

They were found to be most industrious people, who cultivated their fields with a good deal of method. In most cases, says Reuter, they were practically naked, but were always armed. Even when at work in the fields plowing they carried a full kit of spears, shields and poisoned arrows.

The arrows are much dreaded, for they are tipped with deadly poison extracted from vegetables and from dead bodies. This is carried in small bottles, and when fresh it proves fatal in a few minutes.

These people are adepts at game stalking and disguise themselves as birds and animals in order to approach their prey.

They are smaller than the Fulani, being often quite dwarfed, and they live in flimsy grass huts perched in inaccessible nooks among the mountains.

At Kuka the sheik of British Bornu rode out to greet Colonel Jackson at the head of 300 horsemen and a large number of men on foot. He was accompanied by a band and dancing girls.

His people carried enormous spears, and some wore old armor, while the horses were caparisoned with housings like those of

THOMASTON HAPPENINGS

BIRTHDAY OF GEN. KNOX.
Yesterday marked the 154th anniversary of the birth of Maj. Gen. Henry Knox, who lived and died in Thomaston.

Although his beautiful mansion, Montpelier, has long since crumbled into dust, its memory, associated with noble and patriotic owner, is still fresh in the minds and hearts of Thomastons, who sadly deplore the fact that this historic old building was ever allowed to be destroyed.

There is now standing but one structure built by Knox, the brick railroad station, that was used for the General's farm house.

One year ago yesterday the members of Gen. Knox Chapter, D. A. R. dedicated to the memory of Knox, a bronze tablet, is set in a large boulder just west of the railroad station. It contains this inscription:

"The home of Gen. Henry Knox, the first secretary of war, stood on the brow of this hill, overlooking the bay, from 1784 to 1871. The brick building now used as a railroad station is the original one of the nine buildings forming a semi-circle in rear of the mansion, erected by Gen. Knox Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, July 25, 1902."

The unveiling was done by Letitia, the young daughter of Mrs. C. A. Creighton, regent of Gen. Knox Chapter, and the principal speakers were Congressman Littlefield and Hon. J. E. Moore.

Yesterday at her summer home in Cushing, a neat and comfortable bungalow situated on the banks of the Georges, Mrs. E. D. Carleton, regent of Gen. Knox Chapter, D. A. R. celebrated the anniversary of the birth of Knox, by entertaining the members of the Chapter. Although the day was rainy it did not dampen the ardor of the Daughters and a good sized number were present. The following exercises for the day had been prepared: A paper on the subject, "Lady Knox," by Mrs. R. O. Elliott; reading of Holman F. Day's poem, "When Knox Came to Town," by Mrs. Bessie Smith Little; a paper—Longfellow's "Lady Wentworth," by Mrs. A. S. Cole; a paper, "Early Days in Maine," by Mrs. A. C. Strout.

A delicious dinner of lobsters, clams, hot coffee, pies, calico, was served. The event was a very enjoyable one. Now what is wanted is a suitable monument to the memory of this great man, and it is to our national Congress that Thomastons are looking for aid. For some time a petition has been before this body asking that \$25,000 be appropriated for this purpose, but as yet it has not been forthcoming. However, it is hoped that the day is not far distant when Congress gives the appropriation asked for.

Thomaston has a number of expert gardeners but this year F. A. Washburn seems to have all others beaten. If Mr. Washburn should consent to place some of his garden products in the Union fair exhibit, this fall, he would undoubtedly be awarded first prize. Mr. Washburn is not only a ship builder but is also a garden builder.

Miss Geneva Copeland, who has been visiting her parents here, returned to Boston Saturday night.

Tomorrow is the annual field day of

the O. E. S. at Oakland and Grace Chapter of this town will be represented.

A. B. Sampson passed Sunday in

Waldoboro. Edward Lermond was home from Portland Sunday. Fred Brown left for the White Mountains today, where he will be employed as a bell boy at the Maplewood House. Thomaston will then have two representatives there, the other being Clarence Henry, employed at the Faybayan House. Both are graduates of the class of '04, T. H. S. and both were players on the school ball team.

E. R. Bumpus took the members of the Rick-Rack Club and a few invited guests for a sail Friday evening in his launch Marjorie. They landed at McCarter's Point, where a fine picnic supper was served. In the party was E. R. Jones of Chicago, a salesman for the Hallett & Davis piano firm. Mr. Jones had never taken a sail of this kind before and he introduced to one of Thomaston's celebrated picnics, and he is now telling what a grand time he had. Mr. Jones is the son of a Rocky Mountain trapper and is as strong as a moose.

Mrs. Cassie Fay of Lowell, Mass., is a guest of her brother, A. H. Simmons. Yesterday morning two men were before Judge Linscott for being drunk and disturbing the peace. It cost them \$5 each.

Warren R. Washburn, who for several months has been with the Thomaston Herald as associate editor, has now become editor of the paper. Herman Austin of Ellsworth is the new foreman.

The Klark-Urban Company closed a three nights' engagement at Watts Saturday night, where they played to good sized audiences.

Miss Agnes Hanley resumed her work at E. B. Hastings & Co.'s store, Rockland, Monday. Miss Hanley left the store last Friday for a two weeks' vacation but in the meantime was taken seriously ill. She is now in much better health.

A party of young persons went down to M. E. Weber's cottage today and will remain a week.

Mrs. M. H. Kellerman, daughter Katherine and son Harold of Buffalo, N. Y., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beveridge.

Miss Alice Bucknam of Bangor is visiting at Dr. W. J. Jameson's. She is a teacher in the High School in the Queen City.

George Dunn spent Sunday at home. Hon. J. E. Moore, and J. H. Montgomery, Esq. of Camden, A. S. Littlefield, Esq. of Rockland, and Hon. Rufus Robinson of Camden, left for New York and Philadelphia Monday on professional business in reference to the Camden Land Company vs. the Lewis parties of the Sagamore Farm.

Case in which the Camden Monday evening Club will be tried before Judge Emery at Rockland, Wednesday, Aug. 3.

Members of the Thomaston Cobb Club will go to Camden Monday evening, where a Cobb Club will be organized.

Warren J. Shibles, who had one of his legs broken by an accident in Ashburn, Brox, shipyard eight weeks ago, is able to sit up.

Mrs. H. C. Hayes of Wollaston, Mass., is visiting at A. B. Sampson's.

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TENANT'S HARBOR

Mrs. James B. Smith and two children of Hyde Park, Mass., are visiting Mrs. H. Y. Corey and two little sons, accompanied by her sister, Miss Fannie Long, left Wednesday for a month's visit in St. John, N. B. and vicinity.

Mrs. P. E. Dukeshire and family of Allston, Mass., are occupying Miss Hattie Bickmore's house for the summer.

Miss Harriet Farrar and friend, Miss Stanley, have returned to Boston after a two weeks' vacation at home.

Albert Smith returned to Boston Saturday, after a week's stay at his home at Long Cove.

High Averill of Richmond and Miss Nellie Averill of this place spent Sunday in Rockland, the guests of their cousin, Mrs. Wm. Moore.

Mrs. Lewis H. Harnon, little son Berkeley and sister, Stacie Alley, have gone to Hampden for a two weeks' visit with their brother, Alfred Alley.

Mrs. Calvin D. Wright and daughter Alvina of Waltham, Mass., are visiting at Dr. F. O. Bartlett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland of Dorchester, Mass., are in town for a two weeks' visit.

George B. Rogers, a former resident of this place, called on friends last week, this being his first visit for sixteen years.

Edward O. B. Studley of Rockland was the guest of his mother one day last week.

CAID OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to express our heartfelt thanks through the columns of the Courier-Gazette to those who aided us in the recovery of the body of our brother, David Elwell, who was drowned June 2nd. We thank the kind neighbors and friends for the beautiful flowers, which expressed their sympathy, and the Odd Fellows who showed their brotherly love and good fellowship.

Herbert Elwell, L. M. Gibbs, Cynthia Norton, Sisle Rackliffe, Maria Mixer, Carrie Maker.

Executors Sale of Real Estate At Auction.

Will be sold at public auction, on the third day of August, 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on the premises unless sooner sold at private sale, the real estate on the eastern side of Dunn street, in Thomaston, Maine, lately owned and occupied by the late Sarah J. Night comprising a fine large two-story house and ell, containing eleven rooms and a large, convenient and well finished barn, all situated and in excellent repair, as good as new and in all respects well appointed, with a lot of 172 feet frontage and 134 feet depth. This real estate is centrally and pleasantly located in an unexceptionable neighborhood and a rare opportunity is here afforded for obtaining a very desirable residential property at a bargain.

J. H. H. Hovey, Executor.

July 8, 1894.

Here in August.

George Batty has earned for himself the title of "The One Entertainer." Mr. Batty now lives in East Boston, where he works at his trade and gives entertainments as a side issue. He is coming to Knox county with his wife and boy the second week in August and will be open for engagements for a short time. Mr. Batty's entertainment consists of original and artistic paper specialties, instrumental selections, whistling solos, humorous recitations, songs, solos,

duets, readings, musical and vocal novelties. Batty has many new testimonials. The Portland Argus says: "Batty is an inimitable entertainer. A wonderful paper worker. Always ready with something to offer that is enjoyable. Novelty without end. See the Courier's Letter."

Boston Globe: "Batty's whistling and harmonica solos were marvelous." During his stay Mr. Batty will be open for engagements. His prices are very reasonable and he is a great drawing card. For any information inquire at The Courier-Gazette office. Great is Batty.

CANDEN

Millard B. Long put in commission last week a fine gasoline launch. It was built by H. M. Prince and is called the Kismet.

Miss Margaret Orr Edison and Miss Thoma Gray Thompson of Whitman, Mass., are guests of Miss Lulu Hall at Mrs. Whitehouse's, Washington street.

W. E. Gill with the Joseph Van Ness Publishing Co., Boston, Mrs. W. A. Briggs and daughter Florence of Somerville and Herbert Robinson of Boston have been in town called by the death of Mrs. Susan Gill.

The W. C. T. U. meets Saturday evening of this week with Mrs. Clementine Healy, Bay View street.

Harbour is home for a short visit with his family.

Mrs. W. C. Bradbury is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. D. F. Wadsworth, Sea street.

David Hollins of Pittsfield is visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Frank Gilkey is visiting in Boston and vicinity.

The schooner Emily A. Staples arrived last week with a cargo of pilas for the Eastern S. S. Co. They will be used to repair the wharf here and work begins this week.

Mrs. S. C. Niel of Washington, D. C. is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. and Mrs. Myron M. Parker, at Pinecrest.

Among the arrivals on steamer City of Bangor Friday were: Mrs. F. O. Martin, Miss Louise Stetson, James R. Small, F. H. Thomas, wife and daughter.

Bird Bros. & Willey shipped 75 tons of coal to North Haven Thursday on schooner Joyce Rebecca.

Edward R. Winslow, who has been the guest of his friend, Millard Long, for several weeks, returned Friday to his home in Saco.

Miss May E. Robbins has returned to her home in East Boston after a visit with Miss Irene W. Heal.

E. Frank Knowlton was in Boston on a business trip last week.

The schooner Sunnyside took two calls to Stonington last week. They were made at Knowlton Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pitcher returned by boat Thursday to Boston, after a visit in town, guests at E. C. Fletcher.

G. A. Wakefield, who has been employed at the Camden Jewelry Company, has received the appointment of substitute mail clerk on the run between Foxcroft and Newport. A. U. Warren of Dover, N. H., has been engaged to take his place at the Camden Jewelry Co.

Mrs. F. H. Hart and little son Frank are visiting in Burkettsport this week.

Mrs. Flora Reed is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lillie Gray, in Bangor.

Alva Greenlaw has gone to North Haven, where he has the contract to build the new Baptist parsonage.

Miss Esther Harrington gave a soap bubble party last week in celebration of her 8th birthday. Delicious refreshments were served and the little folks had most enjoyable time.

M. B. Arey and friend, E. C. Hopkins, spent Sunday in town.

Margaret A. Agnew, who is spending the summer in town, a guest at Mrs. F. D. Alden's, has gone to Boston for a week's visit.

Mrs. Young and Miss Dyer, who are spending the summer in town, will give a social of sorts, to be held at the Potter Studio some time in August.

Misses Mary Sides and Edna Upton have returned from Stonington, where they attended summer school.

Quite a number of Camden people are planning to go to Old Orchard next Sunday on the annual excursion on the Maine Central.

E. B. Knight has had electric lights put into his store on Main street.

A. Q. Scammon's production of Town Topics is a farce comedy that is a pleasant surprise to all who witness it, a laugh producer which has made good in every place where it has been presented this year.

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VINALHAVEN

Mrs. Alden Cooper returned last week from Rockland where she was a guest of Mrs. J. Fred Hall.

William West of Jonesboro was in town last week. Mrs. West and son have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Crockett, several weeks.

George Chase of Bangor is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Flora Green.

Mrs. Isalah Crockett and Miss Inez Crockett of Bangor, who visited friends in town Thursday and Friday, left Saturday for a visit in Waldoboro.

Mrs. Oxtan of Rockland is a guest of Mrs. Alden Cooper.

Mrs. E. B. Grafton and son Herbert of Brighton, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Lane.

Miss Elizabeth Urquart returned last week from Boston, where she has been employed as a stenographer.

Misses Lora and Lizzie Kittredge and Miss Cook of South Framingham, who have spent the past two weeks in town returned home Friday.

Mrs. Alice Evelyn Lawry visited friends in Rockland last week.

Next Saturday evening affords an opportunity for all who desire to see "The Real Widow Brown" presented by A. Q. Scammon. It is an evening of fun. Tickets are now on sale.

Many pronounce this entertainment the best ever given here.

Mrs. Fairfield Porter of Brighton, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wall.

J. L. Lane of Providence spent Sunday in town.

Owing to the shower Thursday the W. L. N. Club who picnicked at the shore, did not return.

Edward R. Winslow, who has been the guest of his friend, E. C. McInish, it was a jolly time and the shower coming just as the table was set for dinner, only made things a little more enjoyable.

Instead of resorting to shelter under the trees, did the unwisdom of hurrying to the house in just the right time to get a wetting.

W. M. Bradstreet, Co. have recently installed a 4-horse power gasoline engine.

Sch. Mary G. Powers arrived Saturday with 130,000 pounds of fresh fish, most of which was cod, for the V. H. Fish Co. Sch. Margie Turner landed 55,000 pounds Friday.

Miss Alice G. Lane entertained friends to tea Friday evening in honor of Miss Henrietta Hall of Utica, N. Y.

Saturday a dinner was given by the Vinalhaven Fish Co. to those employed at the wharf and all who have been employed there within a year. A table was set for 67 guests.

The menu included fish chowder, cold meats, bread, crackers, pickles, cake, coffee and fruit. Mrs. M. Bradstreet superintended the dinner. A very friendly feeling exists between the employees and the company and a rising vote of thanks was extended to them for their kindness.

Work in the afternoon closed a little earlier than usual when the strains of music from Horace Smith's violin enticed the company into a dance.

Mrs. T. L. Roberts of Utica, N. Y., is a guest of Miss S. L. Lyon in Rockland.

Miss Henrietta Hall, who has been at Bridgesside the past month returned to her home in Utica, N. Y. Monday.

Members of Marguerite Chapter will remember Field Day at Oakland Wednesday. Those going will provide themselves with lunches. Oakland is the theme of the day.

Miss Laura Barnard attended the Christian Endeavor convention this week and on her return Thursday morning will bring a number of children from Rockland and vicinity.

This is the work of the C. E. Society. Mrs. Edgar Hinds of Bigelow arrives this week for a visit with her father, Mr. M. Bradstreet.

James Thompson of Boston, a former resident here has been in town the past week.

Miss Maud A. Metcalf of Oberlin, Kan., is visiting her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eddy, and other relatives here. Miss Metcalf will spend the summer here and will visit relatives in Union, Appleton and Camden.

Walter Wining of Lewiston spent last week, a guest at D. J. Bowley's.

Miss Lovell of Lee is the guest of Evelyn Bowley this week.

Miss Mary Lermond of Rockland is visiting F. L. Payson.

Mrs. Ardella Bowley is spending a few weeks with her son Bert in Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Fish of Oberlin, Kan., are spending the summer at his brother's, Will Fish.

Mrs. Gertrude Payson was in Rockland Tuesday and Wednesday last week.

F. Mink has sold a pair of work horses to Mr. Gray of High Island.

Miss Athaline Bowley and Mrs. Mattie Richards, who spent a short vacation here, have returned to their home in Haverhill, Mass.

Mrs. F. L. Payson and son Mayo visited at Mary Howard's, Camden, Thursday.

Miss Clara Fiske of Danversville is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cyrus Dunbar.

Mrs. Nellie Wilcox and daughter of Dover, N. H., are spending a few weeks at her mother's, Mrs. Abigail Loring.

Mrs. M. F. Taylor and daughter Lela, were in Camden Wednesday. Miss Taylor is receiving piano instruction there.

Mrs. Lowell Bowley and sons are stopping in Appleton.

Charles Fish of Camden was in the place Sunday.

Miss Nina Bowley has returned from a short stay at Temple Heights with friends.

LINCOLNVILLE.

On Thursday evening last Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Covell of Boston, Mass., christened their new cottage, "Hill Creek," by entertaining a party of about forty at progressive whist. Refreshments were served and it was a very enjoyable affair.

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Miss Alice Moore of Rockland de-

livered a temperance address in the</

In Social Circles

Arrivals and departures incident to the summer vacation season are especially interesting as far as personal news. Readers of The Courier-Gazette will confer a favor by sending to this column items of this character noting the arrival of guests or the going out of town of our own people.

Miss Lenora Hubbard of Chelsea, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lathrop, Grace street.

Mrs. E. A. Clark and son Fred of Allston, Mass., are at Capt. O. J. Conant's for a few days, pending their departure for Fox Island for their annual summer visit.

Mrs. Martha Brown has returned from a visit of several weeks in Washington.

Mrs. N. R. Sawyer of Portland is visiting Rockland friends for a few days.

Charles Taylor of Danbury, Conn. is visiting M. S. Britto.

Miss D. B. Sands has returned to her home in Lynn, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Drew and son Fred of Winthrop, Mass., who have been spending the past two weeks in Liberty and this city, returned home Saturday night.

Miss Mabel Trainer has been the guest of Miss Lida Hocking at St. George's last week.

Mrs. Lydia Fogler of Foxcroft, W. C. Woodbury and family of Dover, and Mr. and Mrs. Caleb H. Cushing of Foxcroft are occupying the T. E. Tibbets cottage at Ashmere for two weeks.

Dr. L. D. Shepherd of Boston, who owns a cottage at Bay Point, was in the city Saturday. His cottage is rented this season and Dr. Shepherd is visiting on his big steam yacht Juanita, which was the winner in class A. of the races at Fire Island last week.

Members of the Half-Hour Club enjoyed their annual picnic July 22nd inst. at Camp Dynamite, guests of Mrs. A. T. Blackington. Explosions were frequent as might have been expected, but they were of a harmless nature, being simply the overflowing of overflowing of delight in the beautiful views, lovely surroundings, and the cordial hospitality of the house. An elegant dinner was served to nearly thirty people, followed by limonade, logic and laughter. The occasion will endure as a happy memory with all present, some of whom were out-of-town members of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Chapman and daughter, Miss Clara Chapman of Bangor are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Berry.

Fred H. Berry is home from Waterville, where he attended the races. One of his horses was a money-winner.

Mrs. William A. Serven and Mrs. Samuel Cooper of Pearl River, N. J., visited Mrs. Frank Jones on the New County Road last week.

Mrs. Walter Prescott of Richmond, Va., is visiting her parents, 74 Pleasant street. Mr. Prescott will arrive in about two weeks.

Mrs. E. A. Cummings of Bangor is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Hall, North Main street.

Mrs. A. J. Hall and Miss Julia Hills are visiting friends in Belfast.

R. L. Hart and wife of Boston and Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Knight and J. Fred Knight and Miss Alice Glover of this city are on the second week of a fortnight's sojourn at the Glover Farm, Elmer S. Bird and family are also residing at Mirror Lake. Both parties are entertaining numerous Rockland callers meantime. This is the fifth season the Knight family has spent at the Glover Farm and they are as much charmed as ever with that popular locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hawken returned Saturday morning from a trip to Dover, N. H.

Mrs. E. M. Stubbs, who has been visiting in West Medway and Hyde Park the past two weeks, returns home tomorrow.

Miss Ellen Verrill has returned from Ellsville, Point where she has been visiting Mrs. Charles E. Hall the past week.

Miss Letitia Hatch of Islesboro who has been visiting at Charles E. Hall's Middle street, returned home yesterday.

A. J. Grimes of Peoria, Ill., is visiting at G. W. Palmer's, Main street.

Mrs. George Copp of North Anson was in town a few days last week.

Miss Emma Kuhn of Bangor is visiting at C. D. Jones', Grace street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Robinson have gone to Jefferson for a few days.

Mrs. Raymond Combs has returned from an extended visit in New York.

Mr. Weeks of Northampton, Mass., was the guest of his father, Dr. S. Weeks, Main street a few days last week.

Miss Silvia Marsh of Foxboro is visiting at her home on Broad street.

Mrs. Sarah Freeman of Belfast is the guest of her son, Charles E. Bicknell.

Miss Susie Ludwig of Arlington, Mass. is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Susan E. Smith.

Miss Stella Whitney returned last night from a three weeks' visit in Dover.

Mrs. George Hewett of Worcester is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John W. Titus, Limerock street.

Dr. Christie, wife and daughter of Rhode Island are guests of Henry B. Bird, Summer street.

Miss Alice Sweetland is home from Boston on her vacation.

Miss Carrie Green has returned from Crescent Beach, where she has been the guest of Mrs. F. H. Berry, the past week.

Miss Grace Harrington returned from Portland last week and is now entertaining her cousin, Miss Lulu Bartlett.

Miss Alice Harrington, accompanied by Mrs. J. G. Torrey, is expected home tonight from Charlotte, N. C. P. E. I.

Victor V. Thompson and wife of Ashland, Mass. are visiting in Rockland and vicinity.

Mrs. Oliver Jameson of Natick, Mass. is visiting Mrs. R. H. Thorndike, Broadway.

Eighteen members of L. S. Robinson's Sunday school class, accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Hanson of Thomaston, drove to St. George Friday afternoon, and were finely entertained there by ex-Sheriff Caddy and wife.

The party spent five hours there, and in addition to having a nice picnic supper enjoyed itself in various ways.

Amos P. Lord of Bath is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Mudge.

Mrs. R. W. Bickford and daughter have returned from Southwest Harbor, accompanied by Mrs. Bickford's mother, Mrs. M. P. Hodgdon.

Mrs. E. B. Gonia and daughter are spending five or six weeks in Boston.

Frederick Lankworthy, cashier at the Maine Central depot, has gone to Lancaster, N. H. having been compelled to take a vacation on account of ill-health. Mrs. Langworthy had preceded her husband in Lancaster on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. F.

W. Fuller of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Glover of Boston have been spending a few days at Alford's Lake. Ned Veazie has gone to Brooklyn, where he is the guest of Hiram B. Snow.

Miss Lillian Mitchell has returned to Newport, after a visit at Dorris J. Stryker's.

Mrs. Susie Johnson and daughter are guests at Mrs. Loring's, Myrtle street.

Mrs. Ivan Trueworthy is visiting her former home in Summerside, P. E. I. She will be away three weeks.

Mrs. Jessie Blackington, who has been confined to her home by illness, has resumed her position at Simonton's.

Mrs. George Brewster is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Bragdon, in Wiscasset.

Miss Elizabeth Farnelle entertained at whist Friday evening. First prize was won by Miss Bessie Robbins and the consolation prize by Mrs. Chas. S. Robbins. Lunch was served.

George Bond of Bangor visited his brother Waldo Bond in this city Sunday.

S. B. Hall of Hartford, Conn., formerly of South Thomaston is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Samuel Bryant, 20 Orange street.

Mrs. J. E. Abbott of Newtonville, Mass., and Mrs. Arthur Pratt and son Everett of Watertown, Mass., are guests at Mrs. E. Risings. Later in the week the party goes to Pleasant Beach.

Mrs. J. E. Perry of Worcester is spending a few days at Mrs. Frank Crockett's, Cedar street. Mrs. Perry is on her way to North Haven, where she will visit her brother, Oliver C. Brown. She returns in season to spend Old Home Week here.

Mrs. T. E. McNelis is in Northampton for a short visit.

The comedy and musical entertainment given by the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist society, in the Universalist vestry last Wednesday evening, was a decided success, in spite of the fact that the fire alarm melted the audience instead of the audience melting the ice cream. In the comedy Miss Evelyn Bliss was "The Engaged Girl" and Irving Wheeler as "Jack Brewer," her fiancé, made a great hit. Miss Hope Greenhalgh was decidedly English, "don't you know," and Misses Helen Wise, Faith Greenhalgh and Eliza Chapin, each jealous of the engaged girl, acted their parts very cleverly. Mrs. Arthur Berry, who was in the secret of the engaged couple appeared to excellent advantage as she had done on many similar occasions. Frank Tibbets as the waiter, and Hazel Davis as the maid, contributed to the success of the comedy. The musical features of the evening were as follows: Mrs. L. L. McLaughlin, Harry Tolson and Mme. Coe-Howard, vocal solos; Miss Mary Jordan, violin; Miss Elmira Panno of New York was the reader and little Flossie Ferrin rendered two songs very cutely. Mrs. A. H. Berry is entitled to much credit for the success of the affair, which netted \$28. The fire alarm broke up the entertainment just as the ice cream sale was about to begin.

Mrs. O. A. McFarland of South Union is visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. H. McIntosh, at the Highlands.

Sidney L. Snow arrived this morning from Charlestown navy yard and is visiting at Mrs. Buella Snow's.

V. A. Leach and family are at Holiday Beach.

Mrs. Katherine Fletcher of Winchester, Mass., is a guest of Capt. and Mrs. J. V. A. Leach.

E. E. Glette and family of Jamaica Plain arrived Sunday morning for their annual outing at Crescent Beach.

Mrs. Caroline C. Rowe, who has been visiting at Mirror Lake, returned Saturday to Winthrop Beach, Mass.

W. S. Richardson of Boston has been the guest of W. O. Fuller, Jr.

Mrs. Frank Crockett of Dix Island was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Everett C. Herrick of Charlestown, Mass. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hall.

Miss Isabelle French of New York is visiting Mrs. W. S. White, Middle street.

Mrs. H. J. Robbins of Worcester, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, 6 Gurdy street.

Clarence H. Leach and wife of Boston, and Miss Blanche Vinall of Carver, Mass., arrived in this city Sunday, and are at Holiday Beach occupying a cottage with V. A. Leach and family.

Miss Hattie M. Gregory, assistant superintendent of the Maine State Eye & Ear Infirmary of Portland, is now on her vacation at her mother's home, Mrs. Evelyn L. Gregory, Glen Cove.

Mr. L. N. Sawyer of Portland is visiting friends in this city.

The Universalist Mission Circle will be entertained at the S. H. Burpee cottage, Cooper's Beach, tomorrow, by Mrs. L. C. Tyler and Mrs. J. A. Burpee.

Miss Kathie Mudge and Dr. F. E. Pollett are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ames in Rumford Falls.

Eton Blackington of Mechanic Falls is visiting at her home on Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Daniels have returned from a carriage drive as far north as Oldtown.

Mrs. Maynard Austin is having her vacation from Simonton's dry goods store.

George Orcutt is having his vacation from Simonton's, and is visiting in Providence.

The Rockland Military Band will give a concert at Oakland next Sunday.

Dr. Christie, wife and daughter of Rhode Island are guests of Henry B. Bird, Summer street.

Miss Alice Sweetland is home from Boston on her vacation.

Miss Carrie Green has returned from Crescent Beach, where she has been the guest of Mrs. F. H. Berry, the past week.

Miss Grace Harrington returned from Portland last week and is now entertaining her cousin, Miss Lulu Bartlett.

Miss Alice Harrington, accompanied by Mrs. J. G. Torrey, is expected home tonight from Charlotte, N. C. P. E. I.

Victor V. Thompson and wife of Ashland, Mass. are visiting in Rockland and vicinity.

Mrs. Oliver Jameson of Natick, Mass. is visiting Mrs. R. H. Thorndike, Broadway.

Eighteen members of L. S. Robinson's Sunday school class, accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Hanson of Thomaston, drove to St. George Friday afternoon, and were finely entertained there by ex-Sheriff Caddy and wife.

The party spent five hours there, and in addition to having a nice picnic supper enjoyed itself in various ways.

Amos P. Lord of Bath is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Mudge.

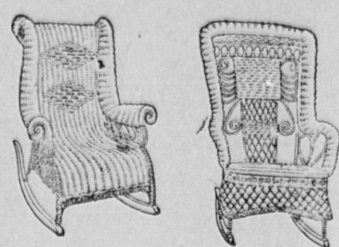
Mrs. R. W. Bickford and daughter have returned from Southwest Harbor, accompanied by Mrs. Bickford's mother, Mrs. M. P. Hodgdon.

Mrs. E. B. Gonia and daughter are spending five or six weeks in Boston.

Frederick Lankworthy, cashier at the Maine Central depot, has gone to Lancaster, N. H. having been compelled to take a vacation on account of ill-health. Mrs. Langworthy had preceded her husband in Lancaster on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. F.

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THE TOWN OF HOPE IS GETTING READY FOR ITS CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION, which will take place on August 1st. The meeting of the executive committee the full program will be arranged. George Grant has charge of the festivities, and a prize of \$15, is offered to the most ridiculous speech being open to any one in town or out.

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OBITUARY.
The funeral of Charles Barbour occurred at his home at West Longton last Friday. Rev. Mr. McCoy, who is supplying the church there for the summer, officiated and made very fitting and appropriate remarks. Many neighbors and relatives of the deceased were present, and a tender and very sympathetic heart as many have found who have gone to him in trouble for favors and accommodations. Mr. Barbour was 76 years old. He was a native and always a resident of Deer Isle (Stonington); he was a farmer by occupation and was always able to be about and only a few hours before his death was sitting out of doors under an awning at his home. His death came very peacefully. He left two sisters, Mrs. L. H. Gatt and Mrs. J. E. Stinson, two daughters and one son. He will be greatly missed by his townsmen among whom he was so widely and pleasantly known.

THREE GREAT ATTRACTIONS.

Messrs. Crockett and Bird Have Made Arrangements For Lyceum Course.

Messrs. Crockett and Bird of the Farwell opera house have arranged with The White Entertainment Bureau of Boston for three great attractions to be seen in this city during the coming season. This arrangement will be similar to the course of entertainments as given by the Y. M. C. A. and other local organizations in years past and in order to distinguish this list of attractions from the regular list of bookings to be seen at the above house it will be known as The Lyceum Course and run in connection with the regular house attractions.

The three performances are entirely different from each other and will no doubt be among the best that will be seen here the coming year.

The first attraction will be no way interfere with the regular bookings as certain arrangements have been made with Mr. Cahn in New York whereby he has set aside special nights for the performances.

The second attraction will be "The Middleman" with all its scenic and stage effects. Without doubt Mr. Russell in "The Middleman" was one of last season's biggest hits and his appearance in this city should draw one of the largest houses of the season.

The third and last attraction will be seen Tuesday, March 7. The Boston Ladies' Symphony Orchestra, 30 young ladies under the direction of Mr. Frank McKay. This will be the largest ladies' orchestra ever seen in Rockland, and besides the excellent programme rendered by the orchestra the following soloists will appear in this performance: Mrs. Leach, violinist; Edward E. Carr, baritone; Miss Louise Nichols, cornetist; and Miss Helen Lahet, trombone soloist. The scale of prices as arranged by the management are as follows: For The Middleman, 50c, 75c and \$1; Mrs. Russell, 50c and 75c; Ladies' Orchestra 35c and 50c. These prices remember are for single performances only. There will be a course ticket issued including best reserved seat in orchestra for all three attractions, price \$2.00, numbers limited to 218. Course tickets may be secured by addressing Farwell Opera House Lyceum Course, box 140. The advance sale for course ticket, subscribers only, will open Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Seats for one day. The chart will be ready on advance date for the choice of seats for each attraction. Other advance sales will open as usual one day in advance of date of attraction.

EAST KNOX FAIR RACES.

A Great Program Has Been Arranged For Four Days of Entertainment.

The Camden Trotting Park Association intend to have the best races of the year for the Fair, which will take place Aug. 30, 31, Sept. 1 and 2. The big purses hung up ought to insure some of the best racing in the state.

The following is the program of the several days with the amount of the purses:

First Day.
2.27 class, purse, \$200
3.00 class, purse, 100
Peg race, 20

Second Day.
2.40 class, purse, 100
2.25 class, purse, 200
Wagon race to drive nearest 3 min., 20

Third Day.
2.19 class, purse, \$500
2.23 class, purse, 100
2.35 class, purse, 150
Baby show, 20

Fourth Day.
2.29 class, purse, 200
Consolation race, purse, 100
Tug of war, 20

The entries in all classes close Aug. 13. Races taking records after entering will be eligible to start in the 2.19 and 2.23 classes. In the 2.19 and 2.23 classes there must be 12 to enter and four to start and 5 per cent of purse must accompany nomination. In the other classes the usual rule holds, of five to enter and four to start, and the payment of entry fees is 2 per cent at time of nomination, balance before the horses start.

Besides this splendid list of races there will be many other attractions, among them exhibitions by the best set of trained dogs in the world. It will be a great fair.

HOPE'S CELEBRATION.

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ROCKLAND VESSEL STRIKES A LEDGE AND IS IN BAD POSITION.

News was received here Friday that the schooner Carrie C. Miles had gone on the ledge at the entrance of Fox Island Thoroughfare and was badly strained. In this condition she still remained yesterday, filling at high tide, and high and dry at low water. As soon as arrangements can be made she will be lightened, and if possible removed from her dangerous berth.

The Carrie C. Miles is owned principally by Nathaniel F. Cobb of this city and is commanded by Capt. Leland Hart. She is laden with cut stone from the John L. Goss quarries at Stonington, and was bound for New York.

COAL RATE WAR
Shippers and Atlantic Carriers' Association at Odds.

Rockland vessel owners will be interested in the following news from Philadelphia: With coal shippers and vessel owners at odds over a uniform freight rate to New England ports, the question of demurrage has now arisen. As a result the strife is more complicated than before.

Bitter war has been carried on for weeks past, not only here, but at Baltimore, for the uniform freight rate, but the shippers have refused the demand of the shippers. In consequence the trade here and at Baltimore is at a standstill.

Vessel owners demand that a clause in the demurrage question be placed in the charter party, which means that it is impossible to submit to the demurrage clause, as they have no control over the discharging and loading of vessels, but are at the mercy of the receiver of the coal at one end and the railroad at the other. They say it requires about 175 cars of coal to fill the hold of a 5,000 ton schooner and that delays are bound to occur through agencies over which they have no control.

Vessel owners, on the other hand, insist that steamers load on a day's call with demurrage for detention, sail on the day entered to the same privilege, as every day's detention means a loss to the owners. A few shippers have submitted to the demurrage clause. The majority declare they can obtain all the schooners and barges required without such restrictions.

BATH'S SHIPPING RECORD
The port of Bath will make a good record for July. The shipbuilding industry. The five-masted schooner Grace A. Martin of 312 tons, the four-masted schooner Wm. J. Quillin of 855 tons, three-masted barge Horace A. Aldrich of 1,000 tons, and the list closed with the launching of the three-masted schooner Julia P. Cole from Bowler's yard this morning. She is a craft of 500 tons.

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THOMASTON.

The Portland Press of Thursday reports that it is expected that Col. S. H. Allen, Governor of the Togos home, will soon, on account of his advanced age, resign his position there, which he has held for over seven years. Col. Allen was formerly warden of the state prison.

Dr. Sanborn of Augusta visited the prison on business Thursday. About fifty of the Camp Durrell boys visited the prison Thursday.

Shrader & Currier are building two boats for Washburn Bros., two for the Palmer schooner at Waldoboro, one of them being a power craft and two for Dunn & Elliot Co., and a gasoline boat.

BARTLETT STILL FREE.

It has now been nearly two weeks since Fred D. Bartlett took his little five pound lard pail on a Sunday morning to go strawberrying and as yet he hasn't returned. Warden Smith has received a letter from Deputy Sheriff Martin H. Fowler of Farmington in which he says that he went to North Leeds and interviewed Mrs. Fred Bartlett's mother and sister and then went to the Livermore poor farm and talked with Mrs. Fred Bartlett, wife of the convict. The deputy learned that Bartlett went to a man's house by the name of Campbell, where his wife had been stopping, arriving there at 10 p. m., Tuesday, July 12 and stayed until 11 a. m. the following day. Here he had been arrested by Deputy Sheriff Monroe but was released by the officer who decided that he was mistaken in the man. However, it is thought that it was Bartlett. It is the opinion of Deputy Fowler that he has skipped to Canada. His wife says she does not know where he went after leaving her Wednesday, July 13, but inquired how the officers would use him if he would give himself up now.

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CASTINE

Castine is entertaining its usual number of summer visitors. The Acadia, which has been enlarged and improved since last season, has a large patronage. At the Dome-of-the-Rock the Misses Thilston have a full house. The Pentagone and Castine House are comfortably full. Of the other houses the Maine Chance, Castine's new summer weekly, says:

Mr. Rea and family have possession of the spacious cottage on Court and High streets. Mr. Rea is taking boarders and the pleasant rooms and attractive situation of his cottage should assure him a successful season. Another agreeable boarding house for the summer months is that of Mr. Grindle. It is situated on Perkins street near the water, and from its piazza one may enjoy the lovely view and cool winds of the Penobscot bay.

Mr. Grindle keeps a large stable and supplies buckboards and carriages when desired at comfortable prices.

The following are the guests in Mrs. Devereux's cottage this summer: Miss Purphino Thacher; Mrs. John Mac Murray and son; Rev. Dr. Edward Cox; Mrs. Edwin and family; Rev. G. Twitchell and family; Miss Orr; Mrs. Edith Barker and two sisters; Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Brownson; Miss Cogan; Mr. Frank Thacher; Miss Ann Thacher; Mr. and Mrs. James Logan; Miss Agnes A. Logan; Miss Alice Logan; Miss Ruth Logan; Mr. Donald Brigham Logan; Mrs. A. T. Briggs; Miss S. Marie Briggs; Miss Helen W. Avey.

Professor Vose; Dr. Coe, Nicaragua; Mrs. Chamberlain, Washington, D. C.; Miss C. M. Bradford; Mrs. J. W. Blaisell; Miss Pearson, Rochester, N. Y.; Mrs. Johnson, Miss Stone, Albany, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. James Birnsall, Summerville, N. J.; Mrs. Helen Willis, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Edith Roberts, Cambridge, Mass.; Miss Jennie Fair, Boston, Mass.; Miss Gertrude Weeks, Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Brophy has had the following guests this summer: Mrs. J. W. Dunbar, Miss Anna Dunbar, Mrs. Tappan, Miss Beck, Brookline, Mass.; Misses Lane, Miss Hunt, Miss Jones, Mrs. Joseph Lane, Hartford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. McClintock are passing their summer in the Fuller cottage which has been thoroughly transformed into a large and handsome summer mansion. Mrs. McClintock has brought pleasure to many by her generous hospitality both in opening her house and extending the use of her tennis court to her younger friends.

Miss Anna Baldwin and Miss Helen Baldwin, with their mother, are passing the summer in "Over Ledge," which occupies one of the most slightly spots upon the Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bates, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bates with Mrs. C. D. Bates, Mr. Bates and the Misses Bates, are in possession of their pleasant and airy cottage to the southeast of Fort George.

Mrs. Francis E. Waters, with her son, Mr. Richard Waters, and her daughters, Miss Jennie S. Waters, Miss Mary H. Waters, Miss Margaret W. Waters, are in possession of the "Eluido," General Waters' delightful cottage on Dye's Head. Her present guests are the Misses Winans, Striff, Ross of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Me., and Mr. Roland Abercrombie.

Mr. and Mrs. Morey have had as guests during the early days of July Misses Thompson and Whitehouse of Rochester, N. Y., and Boston respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blake with Miss Blake and Mrs. Gould are again in possession of their handsome cottage in Madish Park.

Miss Schenck and Miss Way have returned to the Carolan. Their tasteful studio is open from nine to eleven.

The Waldemar is occupied this summer by Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hill, with whom is their son, Mr. Charles F. Miller and Signor Emilio Alberto Costantini and Signora Costantini. Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hill are accompanied by Signora Gianuzzi and child, also of Italy.

Rev. L. O. Brastow, D. D., of the Yale Theological school, with his family, have returned to the summer cottage on High street.

The stone cottage has been altered and much improved. Mr. and Mrs. Shelton of Philadelphia have purchased it and are in possession for the summer.

Mr. Wood has rented the "Bowlder" for the summer and with Mrs. Wood and Miss May Belle Wood has taken the cottage on High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Linnard have purchased a lot just below Rockwood and have fitted out a charming cozy bungalow that stands a little back from High street and across the Cape Rosier hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Beebe and the Misses Beebe have returned to the Cliff cottage after passing the summer in California and Europe respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Pol and Miss Pol of Bangor are passing the summer in Winoah. They have as guests Miss Helen Clergue and Miss Marjorie Rose of Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.

Dr. and Mrs. Baker with their daughter and three sons have returned to their pleasant cottage to the south of High street.

Col. A. K. Bolan is entertaining the following guests in Agency, his handsome cottage on Perkins street: Dr. Henry Graham MacAdam, Mrs. Henry Graham MacAdam, Miss Van Tine, Mrs. E. I. King, Mr. Erwin D. King, Mr. Wm. J. Logan, of New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Sheldon of Greenwich, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas with their family are in "Paradise" this summer. Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt with their family have taken the pleasant Wilson cottage on Perkins street.

Miss Porter and her brother are passing the summer together at "Moss Acre," their beautiful summer home across the Neck.

Dr. Ames with Mrs. Ames and their sons are again in their delightful summer home at Wadsworth Cove.

Tennis is a game which has gradually increased its popularity in Castine. To this we are greatly indebted to Mrs. Blake, who so graciously extended the use of her well-kept court to the followers of this sport in Castine. We hope that this season will be marked with the same interest and success attending last season. The Burr brothers, who were well-known players here last season, are not expected to be here to take the lead, but we have a good man in Mr. Robert Ames, who cleverly handles the racquet and we hope will extend his ability to handling at least two tournaments this season with Miss Grace Hutchins to look after the ladies' entries. There is no doubt from the number of familiar faces which figured in tennis last year but that we should have a most successful season in this popular game and uphold the past reputation of "Old Castine."

The season of 1904 is very backward in the yachting circles but Castine as usual is on her feet. Among last year's fleet to be seen in the harbor are Mr. Morey's steam yacht "Princess," Dr. Grindle's fast launch "Nixie," Col. Bolan's large sloop; Dr. Baker's sloop "Velma"; Mr. McClintock's yawl

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"Narcissus"; Mr. Ames' knockabout, "Wacota"; Mr. Wm. Porter's sloop, "Flying Squid"; and a number of other boats that are an honor to Castine. Mr. Carpenter has bought the fast schooner yacht "Atalanta," which was beaten in 1881 by the "Mischief" for America's cup defender. She is being overhauled and will soon be in commission. Gen. Waters' ketch rig "Iris" has arrived at Castine and has taken her place in the Castine fleet. There are numerous launches of all sizes moving aroundabout Castine, while there were very few last season. Mr. Blake's fast cruising launch takes first place amongst them. Let us hope that all of them may have the chance to carry the old Castine Yacht Club flag which seems to be out of existence at present.

Before we undertake to make any prophecies as to our baseball prospects it will be well to outline the motive and management of our baseball team. Our motive is to promote this game by bringing together as many enthusiasts as possible and by doing so to turn out a good team. A number of scholastic and collegiate players find their way to Castine in summer, and with their support Castine has turned out such teams that were able to give a good account of themselves either at home or away. Our teams have played such games invitingly as ever to be seen at the home games in large numbers.

I have spoken so far of our motives and management and will now proceed with our prospects. They are very bright and can be seen from the following list of names which I can recall at this present instant: G. Brastow, E. Brastow, D. Thompson, E. Hackett, E. Connor, G. McKennon, E. Connor, C. Littlefield, J. T. Perry, T. Perkins, McKennon, N. Hooper, F. Chamberlain, E. West, W. A. Walker.

The support of a ball nine at Castine has never been lacking in interest, and this season there is material for a strong team.

The Madocawando golf course with its broad reaches of meadow, stretches away invitingly as ever from the high teeing ground on Fort George.

It leads over historic grounds and affords one of the pleasantest strolls in Castine.

A few loyal followers of the sport daily play over the links but it is to be hoped that more will take advantage of their opportunities and that through August the links may present their usual summer appearance.

Mr. Carpenter's large schooner yacht "Atalanta" is now in commission after being thoroughly overhauled.

Gen. Francis E. Waters' yacht, "Iris," of the Baltimore Yacht Club, arrived on the 15th and will remain here during the summer. She is 57 ft. over all, 40 ft. on the water line, 12 1/2 ft. beam and 7 1/2 ft. draught. Her rig is "ketch," which combined with her roomy cabin makes her a very handy and comfortable cruising boat.

Dr. Grindle's large launch "Nixie," is now in commission. She is a good pleasure boat either for short runs or long cruises. She is later than usual in commission, but is in excellent condition, and in speed is a good match for any boat of her size to be seen in Maine waters.

Mr. Blake's large and fast knockabout, "Papoose," is again afloat and appearing as graceful and speedy as ever. She is a good cruising boat and can give a good account of herself.

Castine is fast becoming a very popular anchorage for cruising yachts and as many as a dozen boats were to be seen in the harbor last Sunday afternoon.

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DARK HARBOR.

The season at Dark Harbor, though late, is rapidly approaching its height. The Isles Inn is well filled and there are few cottages without occupants showing the popularity of the place as a summer resort. The surrounding bay is fairly glistens with sails and many large yachts drop anchor in the western harbor for a brief stay bringing many transient guests.

Occupying their delightful summer homes we find the following New York families: J. F. Atterbury, Dr. R. H. Derby, S. A. Tucker, Rev. Leighton Parks, formerly pastor of Park Street church, Boston, but now rector of St. Bartholomew's church, New York, Mrs. Louisa Minturn, Geo. Bird and J. Coleman Drayton. A few of the Bostonians are: Dr. Geo. B. Shattuck, Dr. James C. White, Dr. Fred Shattuck, R. D. Sears, George Leroi, R. A. Bolt, Miss Rose Cleveland, sister of ex-President Cleveland, whose home is at Seven Hundred Acre Island, Geo. Silsbee and Dr. E. A. Daniels. Also, Dr. Alexander Biddle, Geo. Phillips, Chas. Platt and T. B. Homer of Philadelphia, Dexter Tiffany, St. Louis, and James Lawrence, Groton.

The cottages occupied for the first time this year are those of F. R. Allen, R. A. Bolt and Charles Dana Gibson. Mr. Gibson's home is pleasantly located at Seven Hundred Acre Island and commands a view of the entire western harbor and Islesboro. Mr. Gibson has pronounced the beauties of the Maine Coast unparalleled and Penobscot Bay the most picturesque spot he has yet seen.

Among the most recent arrivals are: Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Brooks of N. Y. Mrs. Brooks is a younger sister of Mrs. Gibson. Mrs. Douglas Robinson came last week for the remainder of the season. Mrs. Robinson is a sister of President Roosevelt, and has recently been at Oyster Bay.

The engagement of James Lawrence, Jr., the elder son of James Lawrence of Groton and a well known summer resident of Dark Harbor, to Miss Marion Lee Peabody, was announced last week. The engagement is rather unusual since the engaged couple are first cousins. Mrs. Peabody is the elder daughter of J. Endicott Peabody and her late mother was a sister to Mr. James Lawrence. She is also connected with Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain of London and the Rev. Endicott Peabody head of Groton school. Mr. Lawrence graduated from Harvard three years ago where he was very popular.

Mrs. Geo. Tiffany, formerly Miss Marie Scanlon, of St. Louis, was called home suddenly this week by the sad news of the death of her mother. Mr. and Mrs. Tiffany left for St. Louis Monday.

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